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Twenty-Nine Divorce Cases Listed For Kent County Courts at Next Session

TO CONVENE MONDAY, OCT. 16

Twenty-nine divorce cases are listed for action during the October term of the Superior Court in and for Kent county, which opens at Dover Monday, October 16th. Chief Justice Layton and Associates Rodney and Speakman will be on the bench.

Eighteen of the divorce cases are listed for argument and eleven are listed for final decrees. Of the cases listed for argument, twelve are new for the October term while the remaining six cases have been continued from previous terms of court.

New divorce cases listed for argument are Mary M. Davis vs. Chas. O. Davis, Emma Harrington vs. Benjamin Harrington, sometimes known as Benny Harrington; Leroy B. Hall vs. Dorothy Pleasanton Hall, also known as Dorothy P. Cooke; Helen Webb vs. Delbert Webb; George B. Biester vs. Martha L. Biester, Dorothy Minner Hobbs vs. Nathaniel Franklin Hobbs.

Edward H. Harriet vs. Grace Harriet, Edith Vaughn Weir vs. Herbert W. Weir, John Lester Satterfield vs. Helen Hurd Satterfield, John Draper vs. Nina E. Draper, Annie Bailey Houston vs. Castelle Houston, Marvin W. Cole vs. Nettie M. Cole.

Divorce cases listed for argument that have been continued from previous terms of court are Gladys Berntha Noble vs. Lester M. Noble, Dorthea Smith vs. Wilbert Hayes Smith, Ruth Mae Foster vs. Robert Kenneth Foster, Paul Ralph Janekka vs. Thelma Elizabeth Janekka, Agnes Hilda Phillips vs. John Henry Phillips, John A. Williams vs. Willie Eason Williams.

Divorce cases listed for final decrees are George Pettyjohn vs. Benjamin R. Pettyjohn, Elsie M. Davis vs. Harry Davis, Costenzio Realmuto vs. Rosalie C. Realmuto, Sadie Duell Smith vs. James T. Smith, sometimes known as James B. Shivery, annulment of marriage; Richard A. Rollison vs. Rose J. Rollison, Elsie Mae Harvey vs. Russell V. Harvey; Norman T. Webb vs. Evelyn H. Webb; Dorothy Rogers Smith vs. Melvin Smith, Martha G. Clark vs. Harry V. Clark, Levin D. Casson vs. Nelson Wilson Casson.

GRANGE GIVES GOOD PROGRAM

On Monday evening, October 2, Harrington Grange held a covered dish supper, followed by a booster night program consisting of the following numbers:

Speech by Master C. A. Taylor on Grange activities.
Song No. 4 "In The Patron."
Reading, Miss Loretta Paskey.
Step Dance, Charlotte Cohen.
Speech, W. Paskey, Sr. on "Progress of Harrington Grange."
Violin solo, James Emberlain, accompanied by Hilda Passmore at the piano.
Reading, Mrs. C. E. Keyes.
Solo, Anna Lee Brown.
Solo, W. J. Paskey, Sr.
Announcement for the Harrington Grange to visit Smyrna Grange on October 19th.
Step dance, Charlotte Cohen and Marguerite Billings.
Reading, Mrs. C. E. Keyes.
Solo, W. J. Paskey, Sr.
Step dance, James Emberlain.
Closing speech, Master C. A. Taylor.

FROM LOCAL FIRE COMPANY

Nine months of our first year have passed as officers of your fire department. It is with some feeling of pride that we are able to announce that fire losses in this community have been kept to a minimum. While no comparison has been made over previous years, it is our belief that calls have been less this year. At the end of the year we hope to present a report that we shall be proud of. To do this, we need your cooperation at all times.

Throughout the state and nation the week of October 8 to 15 has been designated as "Fire Prevention Week." Our ambition is to not have any calls during the week. Your insurance rates are based on adequate fire equipment and lower losses. Now is the time to remove fire hazards, clean stoves, chimneys and heaters, giving all heating units a thorough inspection.

Yours for 100 pct. cooperation,
Harry C. Tee, Chief.
C. N. Cahall, 1st. Ass't. Chief.
C. W. Shockley, 2nd. Ass't. Chr.

HOUSTON

Cousin Lee and his gang from Radio Park played a return engagement to a packed house on Friday evening in the Community Building for the benefit of the Houston Volunteer Fire Co. The sum realized was very satisfactory to all concerned.

George Elliott of Millington, Md., and his daughter, Mrs. W. K. Miller, of Dublin, Va., spent Thursday with E. F. Burris and sister, Linda.

Mrs. Margaret Sapp is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Charlie Trice and Mrs. Bertha Vienot, in Milford.

Mrs. William Biggs spent several days last week at Bellefonte, Del., visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilson spent Friday afternoon in Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stevenson entertained his brother, Charles Stevenson, of New York, the past week.

Edward Peters of Chester, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Golt on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. William Hickman of Claymont, Del., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Armour.

Mrs. Marguerite Cooper, of Dover, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Anna Graham.

Ben Wilson of Wilmington spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Manlove left Sunday morning for Melrose, N. Y., returning Tuesday night, accompanied home by their uncle, Emmor J. Smith, who has been visiting old friends in New York State.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Johnson and sons, Charles and John Wesley, visited her mother on Sunday, Mrs. Charles Ingram, near Milford.

E. F. Burris, who has been in the Methodist Hospital in Philadelphia for observation, returned home Tuesday, much improved.

Ernest Webb, a patient at Brandywine Sanatorium, is spending the week-end with his father, Charles Webb. His friends are glad to see him looking so well.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kirkby, Mr. Benton Counselman, son Bill, William Dufendach, Charles Koeman and Hummel Sapp attended the New York Fair on Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Dufendach of Milford spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. Lofland.

Johnson Coulbourne entered the Fletcher Brown Vocational School in Wilmington on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dawson attended the wedding of Miss Margaret Dawson and Elbert Saunders at Camden on Saturday.

Miss Bertha Johnston, of Stockley and Miss Walls of Georgetown spent Friday with H. F. Scott and family.

The Houston Senior 4-H Club met at the home of Lillian Minner on Thursday evening, Sept. 28. Joe Parvis presided. Twelve members, Frances Coulbourne, local leader, and Miss Helen Comstock, Kent County Agent, were present. Martha Schofield joined the club as a new member. Discussion for county get-together October 20. Committees are Beulah Armour, Mary Camper, Madeline Hayes and Wallace Wooten. Miss Louise Whitcomb gave an interesting talk on money management. October meeting at the home of Eugene Parker.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS INCREASE IN DELAWARE

An increase in both births and deaths was recorded in Delaware for the first eight months of the present year, according to records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the State Board of Health.

The records disclose that the increase in the number of births was larger than the increase in the number of deaths, there being a total of 649 more births than there were deaths.

During the first eight months of the year there was a total of 2,174 deaths in Delaware, which number is 66 more than the total for the same period of last year, when the number was 2,138.

The total number of births for the first eight months of this year was 2,823, which number is 170 more than the total for the same period of last year, when the number was 2,653.

Of the births recorded for this year, 2,354 were white children and 669 were colored children. The record for the same period last year showed 2,184 white children and 469 colored children, which makes the number of colored children the same for both years.

DITCH PROJECT IN KENT

Three hundred miles of ditch to drain thousands of acres of farm land will be dug by the WPA under a \$91,956 project which Benjamin Ableman, State WPA administrator, announced has been submitted by the Kent Levy Court. Mr. Ableman said he would forward the proposition to Washington for approval, and work will start as soon as approved.

HOLLANDSVILLE

Wilson and Raymond Hughes spent Monday in Chester, Pa.

J. T. Moore spent Sunday with friends in Philadelphia and Hadden Heights.

Mrs. George Ruhl and son, Samuel, who spent a portion of last week with Mrs. Ruhl's sister, Mrs. Ratie Peck, have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

Friends are sorry to learn that Frank Hrupsa was again rushed to the Milford Memorial Hospital on Wednesday of last week owing to serious infections resulting from his operation for appendicitis three weeks weeks ago.

The October meeting of Manship's Ladies' Aid Society was held from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard S. Jester last Wednesday evening. A social hour followed a business meeting, during which time Rev. and Mrs. Willard Everett gave a very interesting report of their motor trip through the Middle West. Refreshments were served at a late hour to a large number of guests.

Booster Night was observed by Trophy Grange at Felton Grange Hall last Monday evening. A very interesting program, in charge of Mrs. R. H. Greenlee, was presented as follows:

Processional March by Grange officers.
Address of Welcome, Master Frank Rice.
Prayer, Chaplain G. J. Meredith.
Clarinets Solo, Caroline Simpler, Ray Frazier and Frances Holden.
Worthy National Master's Letter, read by Paul Allen Biggs.
Original poem, read by Mrs. Walter E. Killen.
Vocal duet, Pauline Minner and Mrs. Ingram.

Drill, "Hall to Ceres," followed by tableau in three acts.
Address by Judge Earle D. Willey, Dover.

Goodnight Drill by 16 ladies.
Despite the inclemency of the weather, a goodly number attended. Refreshments, consisting of homemade cake and coffee, were served.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Ratie Peck of Harrington were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Schafer and son, Willard, Jr., Miss Ruth Peck, of Wilmington and Miss Martha Peck of Harrington. Lambert Blades and family, Misses Emma, Janice Eloise and brother, Leonard, spent Sunday with relatives in Norristown, Pa.

Benjamin Moore lost a valuable horse on Wednesday of last week.

FELTON AVON CLUB

The opening meeting of the Avon Club will be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall next Wednesday, October 11, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. D. A. Petry, program chairman, and members of the cabinet have arranged the following calendar:

Oct. 11—Federation Review, Mrs. Norman Burton, Mrs. D. A. Petry.
Oct. 18—American Homes, Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mrs. Richard McFadden.

Oct. 25—Literature, Mrs. George Herrin, Mrs. Edgar Killen.
Nov. 1—Reciprocity, Clayton Club.
Nov. 8—Education, Mrs. Nelson Hammond, Mrs. John Hargadine.

Nov. 15—Travel Talk, Mrs. Mabel H. Short.
Nov. 22, Thanksgiving.
Nov. 29—New York Fair Echoes.
Dec. 6—Delaware Day, Mrs. O. L. Hastings, Mrs. Harry Glanville.

Dec. 13—Bible Day, Mrs. Cooper Gruwell, Mrs. Lee Sipple.
Dec. 20—Christmas Party, Mrs. W. A. Hargadine, Mrs. Louder Harrington.

Jan. 3—Sunshine Sisters, Mrs. D. A. Petry, Mrs. Benjamin Hughes.
Jan. 10—Motion Pictures, Mrs. Alfred Nutter, Mrs. Charles Bostic.
Jan. 17—Safety, Mrs. Harry Dill, Mrs. Hezekiah Masten.

Jan. 24—Health, Mrs. C. M. Simpler, Mrs. Charles Sipple.
Jan. 31—American Citizenship, Mrs. A. C. Dill, Mrs. Walter Moore.

Feb. 7—Art, Mrs. Herman Bradley, Mrs. Susan Opdyke.
Feb. 14—Valentine Party, Mrs. Lawrence Killen, Mrs. Nelson Hammond.

Feb. 21—Legislation, Miss Nellie Hughes, Miss Martha Godwin.
Feb. 28—
March 6—Conservation, Mrs. Benjamin Hughes, Mrs. Louder Harrington.

March 13—International Relations, Mrs. Lavinia Roscoe, Miss Lillie Harrington.
March 20—Public Welfare, Mrs. Walter Moore, Mrs. Ashton Jester.

March 27—Music, Mrs. Norman Burton, Mrs. B. T. East.
April 3—Current Events, Mrs. W. A. Hargadine, Mrs. Wilbur Kelley.
April 10—
April 17—Luncheon.
April 24—Garden Day, Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mrs. William Bradley.

May 1—Annual Meeting.

I draw up wills and deeds and do all kinds of legal work.—Joshua Smith, Notary Public and Justice of the Peace, Harrington, Del.

NEXT WEEK IS FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

During Fire Prevention Week, October 8th to the 14th, those who fight fires with hose and axe, with statistics and with inventions, will have something to tell the nation about their work. Fire is the fourth most important type of accident in this country. According to the Delaware Safety Council, it takes about 7,500 lives annually and in 1938 caused a property loss estimated at \$270,000,000. The fact that most common known causes of fires are still the live match and ashes of cigarettes, cigars and pipes, makes fire prevention a daily routine for everyone who strikes a match.

To all adults and most children, fire prevention is not a new story. Still there is always something shockingly new about the fire that happened last night. And there were hundreds of them. But while firemen fought to reach children ahead of the flames and smoke, and while men watched their means of livelihood consumed, fire prevention kept a faithful vigil in thousands of homes, schools and industrial buildings.

The calendar this month says October, but, according to the Council it should have printed across it in red letters: FIRE!

Roofs, dry as tinder; dead leaves carpeting the ground, smoke curling from chimneys. The Council offers you this cheap fire insurance policy—Use care with matches and cigarettes. Clean and inspect chimneys and furnaces before starting winter fires. Don't use kerosene to kindle stove fires. Equip your home with metal waste baskets. If you smell smoke at night, feel your bedroom door to find out if it is warm before opening it. One breath of heated air and smoke may be fatal.

During Fire Prevention Week, let us all be ablaze with enthusiasm to avoid every kind of blaze the whole year through.

GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Klemm spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

William Johnson spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Johnson, at Easton.

Charles Helfner spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

John Morris and W. I. Conaway spent Sunday at the New York Fair.

Townsend P. Rust, Jr., spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Rust, Sr.

John Gallo spent the week-end in Philadelphia with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Breeding.

Paul Keen spent the week-end with his parents in West Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoffman spent Saturday in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Parker entertained over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Phillips of Philadelphia.

Nelson Cohee spent the week-end with his parents at Dover.

Keith McNamera spent the week-end at Dover with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Johnson of Easton, Md., spent Monday with relatives here.

Frank Houseman of Philadelphia spent the week-end with his sister, Miss Kathryn Houseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stevens spent Sunday at Laurel with Mrs. Stevens' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pearson of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the week-end with Mr. Pearson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pearson.

Miss Kathleen Passwaters of Lewes spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dillon entertained over the week-end Mrs. Abner and children of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Harry Pearson left on Friday for Florida to spend the winter.

Chester Winters returned on Sunday after spending a week in Philadelphia.

ASBURY METHODIST CHURCH OF HARRINGTON

Robert E. Green, Minister

Church School at 9:45 A. M.
"Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of the scornful. But his delight is in the law of the Lord and in His law he doth meditate day and night."—Psalms. Bible study will take place in each department. Orchestra will assist in the singing.

Morning worship, 11:00. Senior Choir will sing anthem. Sermon by minister.
Evening service, 7:30. Evangelistic message by minister. Quartette and solo will be sung. Gospel hymn sing by congregation. We welcome you to worship with us.
Wednesday evening, 8:00. Orchestra rehearsal.
Thursday evening, 7:00. Junior Choir rehearsal.
Thursday evening, 8:00. Senior Choir rehearsal.

CONFERENCES TO BE HELD IN CHRISTIAN CHURCH, DOVER

A series of conferences for pastors, superintendents, teachers and workers in the various departments of the church will be held in the Peoples' Congregational-Christian Church, Dover, beginning Monday, October 16, at 7:30 P. M., and continuing for six Monday nights.

These conferences have been planned for people of all denominations interested in church work. They are being held under the auspices of the Delaware Commission of Christian Education, the Kent County Council of Churches, the Methodist Conference and the Dover Ministerial Association.

The Rev. E. M. Shockley is dean. Other officers are: Promotion chairman, Rev. G. Turner, Harrington; Registrar and Treasurer, Miss Mary Scotten, Dover; Librarian, Miss Cornelia H. Taylor, Dover. The services of worship will be directed by the Rev. E. R. Green, of Harrington, with the Rev. Frank Herson, of Milford, bringing a special message each night.

The following are the courses and instructors: "How the Bible Came to Be", Rev. R. F. Metzger, Dover; "Jesus and His Teachings", Prof. W. H. Jump, Houston; "Junior Methods. Guiding the Religious Growth of Juniors", Rev. Omar Jones, Georgetown; "Ways of Teaching", Rev. O. P. Jefferson, Lewes; "How to Administer the Sunday Church School", Rev. E. C. Hallman, Laurel.

FREDERICA

Mrs. A. W. Boone is closing her home for the winter months. She is moving into an apartment in Milford.

Mrs. Alice Thomas left Saturday to spend the winter with her nephew, Stanley Thomas, in Philadelphia.

Mrs. A. D. Lank celebrated her birthday on Sunday, when she and Mr. Lank gave a dinner party for the following guests: Major and Mrs. James Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson, of Milford; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bradley, of Felton; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stotesbury, John C. George and Miss Sara Elizabeth Lank of town.

Mrs. Joseph Clark, William Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. William Hutchinson, of Wilmington, were callers on town friends Saturday. All spent the week-end with Mrs. Ella Rust and brother, George Baker, of near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Murray of Seaford visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cook and family one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Lida Stevenson and family entertained a group last week. Mrs. Bertha Donaberegr and son, Kenneth, of Philadelphia, were their guests for several days. Sunday they had as guests Miss Vera Reed, Oscar Endicott, Mrs. Mary Reed, Mrs. Mary Cohee, of Pleasantville, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin, Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, of Milford.

Thursday afternoon a doctor and a nurse were in attendance at Frederica public school. They administered diphtheria toxoid immunization to all the children whose parents so desired. Many availed themselves of the service of this clinic.

Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Gault of the M. E. parsonage had the former's parents from Berlin, Md., as guests Sunday.

Clarence Person is improving after having been on the sick list over a week.

Mrs. Howard Wix spent several days in Dover last week with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Hall. Thursday Mrs. Hall returned home with her mother.

Mrs. Lenora Langrell spent the week-end with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hughes of Felton.

Mrs. Charles A. Matlack remains in very poor health at her home here. Francis Butler of Baltimore, Md., was the week-end guest of his wife and daughter, Carol Marie.

Mrs. Homer T. Hopkins, Mrs. Henry Purnell, Mrs. Julia Darby and Mrs. S. K. Betts attended the Home Demonstration Club meeting at Dover on Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph Satterfield of Harrington visited her mother on Friday.

Mrs. Janie Bennett had Mr. and Mrs. Max Harrington of Wilmington with her over the week-end.

Jester A. Gray and Oscar P. Harrington were recent visitors to Ocean City, Md., where they were at the cottage of Lloyd Seaman.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH OF HARRINGTON

Gilbert E. Turner, Pastor

Church School 9:45 A. M. Promotion Day.
Divine Worship 11 A. M. Special music by the choir.
Evening Worship and song service, 7:30.

Sermon by the pastor.
Wednesday, 2 P. M. Meeting of the Missionary Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Jennie Creedick.
Thursday, 7 P. M. Orchestra rehearsal at the church.
Thursday, 7:30 P. M. Choir rehearsal.

STILL SELLING LIQUOR WITHOUT LICENSE

Inspectors of the Delaware Liquor Commission led by Captain Edward J. Dalley and Officers Moore and Hologer of the Milford police arrested 14 persons in four raids in Milford and Lincoln Sunday afternoon.

One Milford raid resulted in the arrest of eight persons. Causey Owens, 49, was charged with selling liquor without a license, conducting a gambling table, and keeping a disorderly house. Arrested on gambling charges were: Amos Vann, Elmer Dickinson, Benjamin Loper, Lorenzo Shockley, Asbury Fountain, Lawrence Turner and Charles Lofland.

Mack Harrington, 60, and Solomon Harrington, 25, were arrested in another part of Milford on charges of selling liquor without license. Nora Lorraine Walls, 36, and Joseph Walls, 45, were taken into custody on similar charges.

In Lincoln, police arrested Larry Smith, 60, on charges of selling liquor without a license. Inspectors making the raids were: Austin D. Smith, William C. Buckson, Elmer E. Riggins, Stanley Simon and Richard G. Long.

COLLEGE WOMEN HELD MEETING THIS WEEK

The Southern Delaware branch of the American Association of University Women met at Milford Wednesday night, when the group held an organization meeting and welcomed new members. Mrs. Marian C. Keyes, of Farmington, is the new president of this group, which is composed of college graduates from the southern part of the state. Other officers elected in the late spring are: Vice-president, Mrs. E. Atkins, of Millsboro; secretary, Miss Mildred Wheeler, of Harrington; treasurer, Miss Margaret Merrick, of Felton. Committees will be appointed to carry on the work of the branch.

FELTON

Mrs. Maude Reynolds entertained the members of her card club Monday evening.

Boosters Night was observed at the meeting of the Trophy Grange Monday evening.

Harvest Home will be observed in the Methodist Episcopal Church next Sunday, October 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Turner and daughter, Ellen; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mask, of Wilmington; Mrs. Nancy K. Cabbage and son, Meredith, of Collingswood, N. J., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cabbage, Mrs. Irma Hammond, Mrs. Anna Gooden, William Frazier and N. Lee Sipple were among those from Felton who attended the yearly meeting at Cow Marsh Baptist Church Sunday, September 24.

Miss Cassie Garbutt and Mrs. Caleb Maris spent several days recently with the latter's daughter, Mrs. William Cashman, in Sunbury, Pa. Mrs. Cashman returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Annie Gooden has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Cora Hughes.

Robert Vogl has been visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Coverdale, in Wilmington.

Mrs. Minnie Cabbage has returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Herring, after a visit with relatives in Harrington and Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. East are spending the week in Philadelphia and the New York Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Killen have returned from a visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Camden, in Salem, Va.

Mrs. William Parsons, of Seaford spent Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Dill.

Wilbur Kelley is a patient in the Abington Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Lydia Smith in Wilmington.

A combined Rally and Home Coming was held at Manship's Church Sunday afternoon, Sept. 24. Special music was furnished by Prof. Wilmer Highfield and chorus from Wilmington.

Prof. and Mrs. D. A. Petry and Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Meredith visited Harrisburg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ackson are being congratulated on the arrival of a daughter, born in the Milford Memorial Hospital Wednesday, September 27.

The meeting of the Home Missionary Society was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Cooper Gruwell, Thursday afternoon.

Wanted—A salesman with or without a car, for Harrington and vicinity, to sell General Electric and Westinghouse Refrigerators and other products.—W. A. Wheeler, Harrington. My home for rent on Hanley Street. All modern conveniences.—Jean L. Pursue, Seaford, Delaware.

For sale—Frying and roasting chickens 15 cents.—Charles Klecan, 1 1/2 mi. west of Masten's Corner.

"BIG DAY" TO BE OBSERVED SOON AT DEL. COLONY

Children Being Drilled To Present Operetta When Public Pays Its Annual Visit

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, OCT. 21

Preparations for the annual "Big Day", as they call the autumn open house at Delaware Colony, are going on apace among the children and staff members. This year, "Big Day" is to be Saturday afternoon, October 21.

In preparation for the forthcoming open house, when children will entertain their visiting parents, friends and relatives, girls under Mrs. Susan T. Landes, director of occupational therapy and training are finishing needlework, knitting and weavings for exhibit; units under Richard R. Landes, music supervisor, are rehearsing "Old Ironsides", an operetta, and boys under Howard E. Lingo and Charles West, shop instructors, are completing samples of their work.

As a plausible collaboration with the preparations, the academic classes under W. C. Lewis are studying the history of the ship, "Old Ironsides."

The practice of holding an open house at the colony each spring and fall was first instituted by the board of lady visitors. At that time they were called "Tree Planting Days" and "Pound Party Days," to convey to the visiting public that donations were acceptable. On certain of these days large quantities of canned goods, sugar, clothing, dry goods and other articles were donated. Of late, these donations, though much appreciated as ever, have declined considerably.

The application of the name "Big Day" to the autumn open house has arisen from the children's own description of the events.

That they should look forward to them with considerable anticipation is but natural, for then families and friends will come to visit, to attend the entertainments staged by the children and to view their handiwork.

The display of handiwork will be held in the girls' shop room, on the main floor of the administration building. There will be assembled weaving, needlecraft and woodworking exhibits, brooms, brushes and samples of shoes repaired. The operetta, "Old Ironsides," will be presented by the glee club and the band in the assembly room in the basement of the administration building, as will be vocal and instrumental selections by the children.

Rehearsals commenced September 12, and by now all the speaking parts and most of the songs have been memorized. Practice at present is devoted mainly to training in voice inflection and general expression. About forty-two children will participate, including some from the kindergarten class.

Those who are directing the children in their rehearsals consider that their spirit of enthusiastic cooperation is responsible for great progress made in the last two weeks.

The operetta, "Old Ironsides," by Grant & Sphaer, is considered one of the best for junior and senior high schools. The story centers around the

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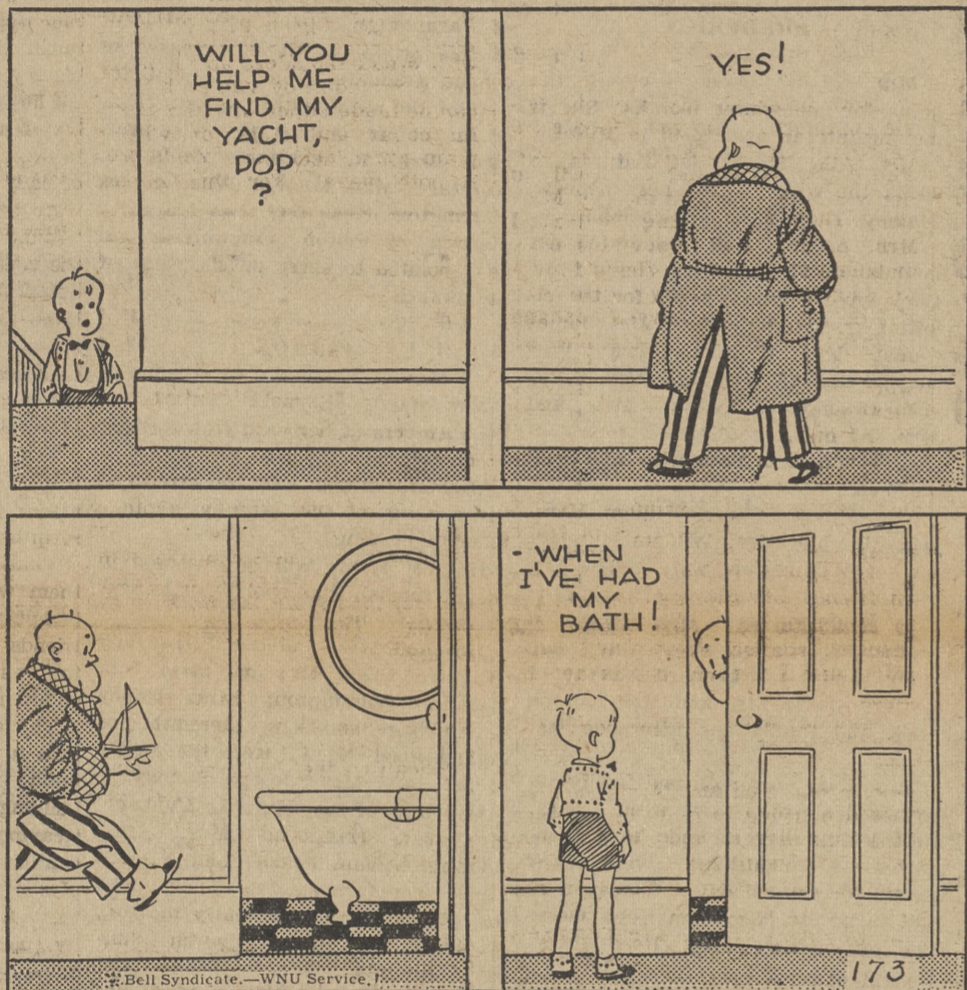
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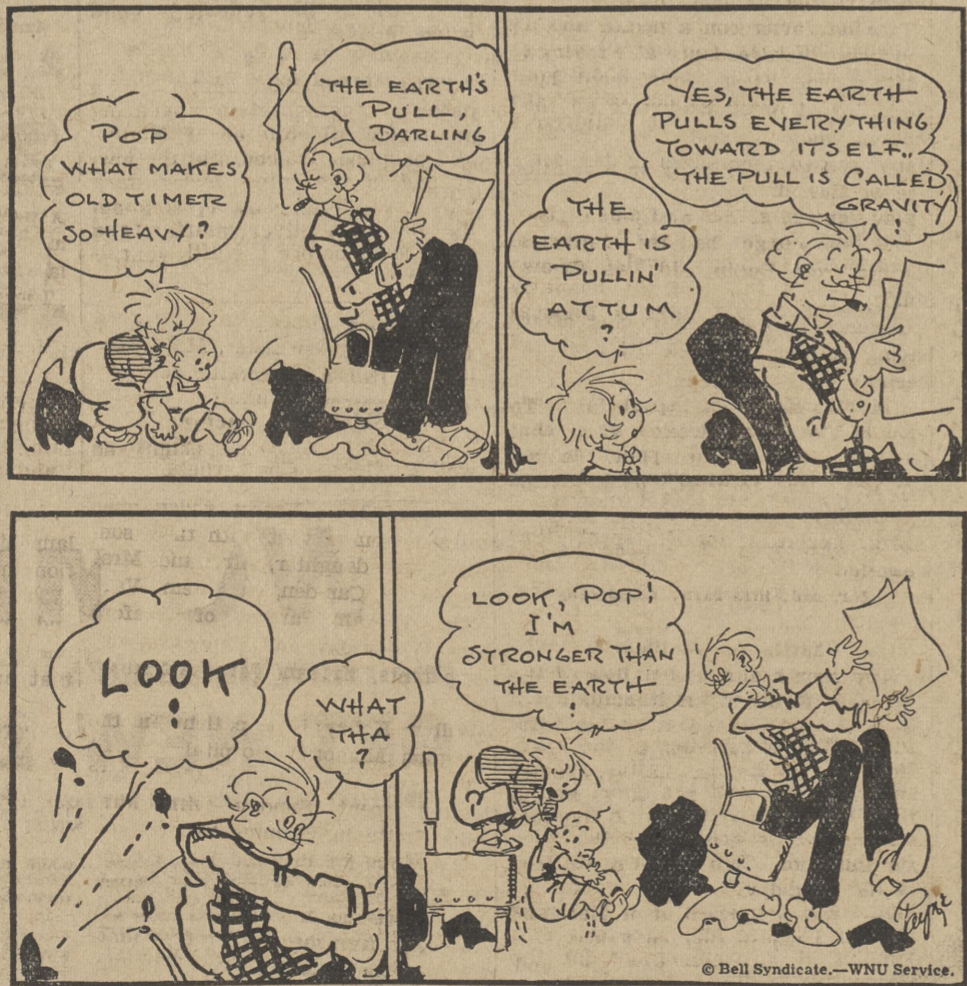
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WAS NEVER TREATED



"Have you ever had a doctor to treat you?"
"Never—always paid for every whiskey prescription I ever got."

Pretty Penny

Hughberta—Do you mean to say Sandy spent a pretty penny on you last night?
Betty—Yes, you should have seen how smooth and polished it was when he put it in the chewing gum machine.

Keeps Busy

Employer—I hope you don't sit and twiddle your thumbs when I'm not in the office?
Typist—Oh no, Mr. Jones. I have my embroidery.

Partly Hidden

Zoole—Well, back from visiting the great scientist? How did you find Mr. Einstein?
Kulper—Brushed the hair aside and there he was.

Wrong Eye

Doctor—Your eye looks bad. I see signs of liver trouble or anemia, and I fear chronic nervous affection.
Patient—Look at my other eye, Doc. That one is glass.

Too Risky

A variety actor had been out of work for a long time. Just when he was beginning to despair of ever finding a job a letter arrived from South Africa asking him to go there on tour with his act.
"Would you advise me to take it?" he asked his friend.
The latter looked very thoughtful.
"No, Jim," he said after a bit, "I wouldn't go, if I were you. You know they have lots of ostriches out there—and an ostrich egg weighs a lot more than eggs in this country."

ALL WORK AND NO PLAY



"You don't consider her a good musician? She works very hard."
"I'll admit that—all work and no play."

Farm Prices

County Agent—Man, what in the world are you doing running that heavy roller over your potato field?
Farmer—Just a little scheme of my own invention. Last year potato prices were so low that this year I decided to raise mashed potatoes.

He Learned

"My doctor told me I should have to eat less meat."
"Did you laugh him to scorn?"
"I did at first; but when he sent in his bill I found he was right."



THEY KNEW

The school-inspector was inclined to overdo the number of questions he put to pupils. On this occasion he had proved even more exasperating than usual, and the class was impatiently awaiting his departure. But the inspector had one more question to ask.
"What kind of arm muscles has the blacksmith?" he demanded.
"Big ones!" chorused the class.
"Right. Now, can you tell me why the blacksmith's arm muscles are bigger than—er—mine, for example?"
Once again the children answered in chorus:
"Because he works!"

Belated Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. J., who have been married three years, were telling friends they were going away. "Where are you going?" they were asked.
"On our honeymoon to Niagara Falls," was the reply.

Always a Chance

Mother—Hurry up and wash your face, Jimmie, Aunt Isabel is coming to see us.
Jimmie—Oh, all right—but what if she doesn't come?

RAISED THE FIRST DAY



First Kid—Aw, I got raised the first day I went to work.
Second Kid—Yes, you did!
First Kid—Sure—I'm an elevator boy—see?

Surprise

Two young matrons, accompanied by their two young offspring, boarded a bus. The two small boys sat apart from their mothers. Shortly after two young men boarded the bus.

Frequently one of the matrons would peep around and smile at the children. The young men would look self-conscious and giggle at each other.

It was not until the young mothers gathered up their children to alight that they had not been the object of the fond glances.

Dish Washing

Stubblefield—Wash those dishes clean. Remember it's my relatives who are coming to dinner today, not yours.
Mrs. Stubblefield—These dishes ought to just suit your relatives. They're all cracked.

Subdued

"My goodness!" exclaimed a woman at a country club outing, "I left my hat on one of the settees, and I hope nobody has sat on it!" Her husband was undisturbed. "I've seen many a hat this year that would be improved by being sat on," he observed.

Following One's Nose

Robinson—I think a sharp nose usually indicates curiosity.
Brown—And a flattened one may indicate too much.

A KINFOLK



"Yes, I'm a pretty close relative of hers."
"How so?"
"She said she'd be a sister to my brother."

Pronunciation

Mr. and Mrs. B were listening to the radio and noticed the announcer pronounce coupon—"coo-pon." Mr. B said to his wife, "Well, I suppose they'll be calling cucumbers 'coo-cumbers' next."

Boom Boom

A large group of workmen were digging out an alley, getting it ready to be paved. In their conversations one was heard to say:
"On a job of blasting out rocks—we used twenty tons of dynamite."

One Solution

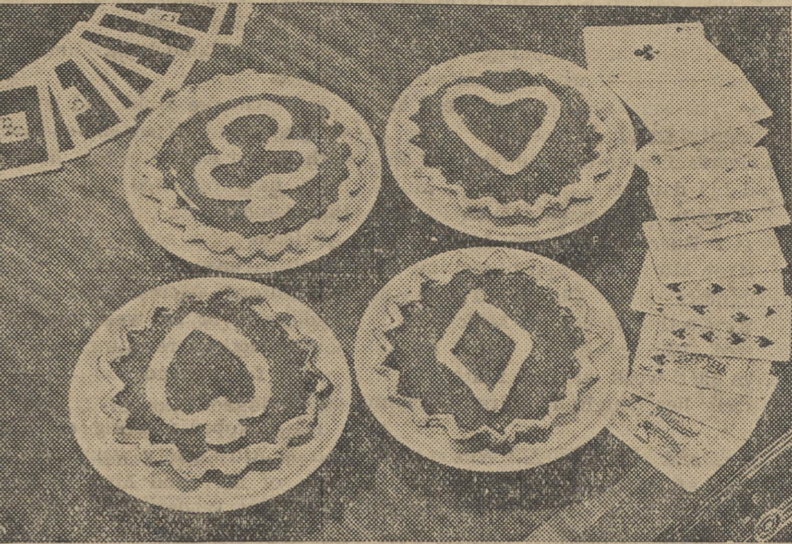
Small Boy—Father says, please, can you lend us your radio this evening?
Neighbor—With pleasure. Are you having a party?
Small Boy—No, we want some sleep.

Research Work

Reporter—What is the professor's research work?
Professor's Housekeeper—It consists principally of hunting for his spectacles.

Household News

By Eleanor Howe



Tempting tarts are grand for party refreshments or a family meal. See Recipe Below

Perfection in Pies

There's something about a piece of really good pie, with its flaky, golden-brown crust and a filling simply oozing flavor and goodness, that makes it the crowning glory of a meal. Just a whiff of the fragrance of a juicy apple pie, or the sight of a quivery custard in a crust that crumbles at the first touch whets the appetite; and one glance at a slice of dainty chifon pie, with its feather-light filling, is enough to make even a strong-willed calorie-counter forget his diet!

Making pies that achieve perfection isn't as difficult as it sounds. Standardized equipment (such as measuring cups and spoons) and oven thermometers and heat control have taken the uncertainty out of measuring and baking. With a proven recipe, good ingredients, standard equipment and some easily acquired technique, any woman can make good pie and make it every time!

Pointers on Making Pastry

1. Unless you are making hot water pastry, have the ingredients for making pie crust cold.
2. Cut shortening into the flour, using a pastry blender or fork; or, if you're an experienced cook, and work quickly, blending in the shortening with fingers is permissible.
3. Add water sparingly, using only enough to hold the ingredients together. Handle dough as little and as lightly as possible after adding water.
4. Roll out the dough on a lightly floured board or on a heavy canvas. Cover the rolling pin with a child's white cotton stocking (with the foot cut off) and flouring it lightly simplifies handling the dough.
5. Place the dough loosely in the pan to help prevent shrinking.

Lemon Meringue Pie

1 cup sugar
1/4 cup cornstarch
1/2 cup cold water
3/4 cup boiling water
3 egg yolks
1 tablespoon butter
1/4 cup lemon juice
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
Combine sugar, cornstarch, and salt. Add cold water and stir until smooth. Then add boiling water and cook, stirring constantly, until mixture is clear and thick. Cook 3 minutes longer. Beat egg yolks and stir cooked mixture into them. Add all remaining ingredients, return to flame and cook 1 minute. Pour immediately into baked pie shell. Top with meringue.

Meringue

3 egg whites
6 tablespoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
Beat egg whites partially; then add sugar slowly, beating until mixture is stiff. Bake in slow oven (300 degrees) for 18 minutes.

Flaky Pie Crust

(Makes 2 pie shells)
1 1/2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup shortening
3 to 4 tablespoons ice water
Sift flour and salt into mixing bowl. Add shortening. Chill 20 to 30 minutes, then cut in the shortening until it is about the size of peas. Add ice water gradually, mixing only until the dough can be gath-

ered up into a ball. Chill at least 1/2 hour. Roll out on a piece of canvas cloth which has been stretched taut over dampened table-top or bread board. Slip child's white stocking (without foot) over rolling pin, flour canvas and rolling pin, and roll out dough to 1/8-inch thickness. Fit lower crust in pie tin. If baking a one-crust pie, prick with fork, and bake in hot oven (450 degrees) 12 to 15 minutes.

Grandmother's Sour Cream Pie

1 cup raisins (coarsely cut)
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup sugar
1 cup sour cream
2 eggs (beaten)
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 teaspoon salt
Pastry
Combine raisins, water, and sugar, and simmer for 5 minutes. Mix the sour cream and the eggs, add the stewed raisins, vanilla and salt. Bake in a double crust at 400 degrees for the first 10 minutes, reducing the temperature to 350 degrees for 40 minutes longer.

Magic Mocha Nut Tarts

2 squares unsweetened chocolate
1 1/2 cups (1 can) sweetened condensed milk
1/2 cup strong coffee
1 cup walnut meats (cut fine)
Baked tart shells
Melt chocolate in top of double boiler. Add sweetened condensed milk, and stir over boiling water for 5 minutes or until mixture thickens. Add coffee, stir until thoroughly blended. Add chopped walnut meats. Pour into baked tart shells. Garnish with remaining chopped nuts. Chill before serving.

Custard Pie

(Makes 1 pie)
2 cups milk (scalded)
3 eggs
5 tablespoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
Dash nutmeg
1 pastry shell (baked)
Scald milk. Beat eggs slightly and to them add the sugar, salt, milk, and vanilla extract. Mix thoroughly and pour custard mixture into a well oiled pie plate. Bake in a slow oven (300 degrees) until custard is set—about 40 minutes. In a second pie plate, exactly the same size as that used for the custard pie, bake a one-crust pastry shell. Cool. Then when the custard is thoroughly cooled and just before serving, gently slip the custard right into the pastry shell. Serve at once.

If there's any one thing in the world that people like in the way of good things to eat, it's nothing more or less than hot breads. Hot breads get a man's vote every time!

Ginger Cheese Muffins, Hot Butterscotch Rolls, Old-Fashioned Nut and Raisin Bread—You'll find recipes for these and other delicious breads in Eleanor Howe's column next week.

Send for Copy of This Cook Book

Entertaining is lots of fun if you start with what Eleanor Howe calls "arm chair preparation." In her unusual and useful cook book, "Easy Entertaining," she tells you how to give successful parties—from picnics to formal receptions.
To get your copy of this clever cook book now, send 10 cents in coin to "Easy Entertaining," care of Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.
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Practical Fabrics for Bathroom

By BETTY WELLS

The first bathtub in America was called a glorified dishpan, copied after a very grand affair an American tourist saw in Europe. Built of mahogany and weighing almost a ton, it created a great deal of controversy, even inspired legislation to regulate its use. The owner of this amazing new contraption was Adam Thompson of Cincinnati. The storm against his innovation did not die down until after President Millard Fillmore visited him and tried it out for himself, then had one installed in the White House in 1850. This presidential model was even more of a monstrosity for it was of cast iron. It wasn't replaced until the Cleveland administration.

Ever since, bathrooms have been getting better if not bigger. As far as bathing efficiency goes, however, porcelain fixtures would seem to have reached about the height of perfection possible and so our interest turns to the decorative side of bathrooms. Although there's a

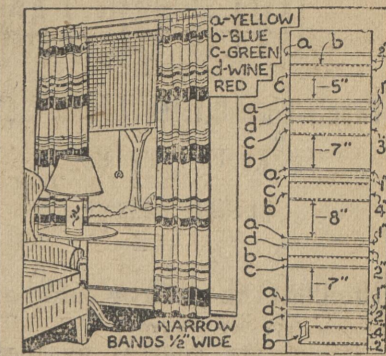
trend toward bathroom baroque, you needn't really get excited that you'll have to put up with too many plaster scrolls or lace ruffles in your bathroom. There's a great deal more emphasis on the more practical sleek materials.

Fabrics intended for use in bathrooms likewise have to stand a lot of gaff—so far there's nothing that has seemed to fit the picture any better if as well as oil silk, which is available in many new and interesting patterns including one sweetly sentimental heart design with a Victorian flavor. Then there is a zebra pattern that has a sophisticated look. Some of the waterproofed silks are now being called "illusion fabric" which has a more romantic sound than oil silk. But all practical bath curtains and shower curtains needn't be of this fabric—there is a new suede-like material that is equally waterproof and has more weight so it doesn't wrap around your body.
(Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

Curtains That Will Fit Your Color Schemes

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

THE first curtains of this kind I ever saw were made of the long pieces of good material left at each side of a sheet after the center part had begun to wear. These were dipped in dye to make a soft cream color for the foundation part of the curtains. Wide stripes of gingham and narrow ones of prepared bias trimming were then stitched in place to make stripes. The chart shows



the colors that were used and gives the widths and spacing of the stripes.

Of course, you will have some ideas of your own about the stripes and colors. Perhaps you can copy the color scheme of the rug in the room or the wall paper. Or colors in a picture may offer a suggestion for colors for the whole room.

Whatever the materials used you will have fun planning the stripes. In case you should want to use short lengths of goods for the foundation part of the curtains, stitch these together with the seams on the right side; then place a stripe over the joining.

There are 32 other homemaking ideas in the booklet which Mrs. Spears has just prepared for our readers. All directions are clearly illustrated. You will be delighted to own one of these new booklets. Enclose 10 cents in coin with name and address, to Mrs. Spears, 210 S. Desplaines St., Chicago, Ill., and booklet will be postpaid by return mail.

HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

Save the Tablecloth.—Jars and containers left in the refrigerator should be wiped off with a cloth, nearly every day—to prevent them from leaving dark spots and rings on the kitchen table. The moisture which forms on the jars causes the spots and rings.

Drying Woolens.—To dry the children's woolen articles quickly, put them on a clean cloth and put the electric fan near them. Turn the garments frequently.

Never Scrape Graniteware.—To clean graniteware which has been scorched, add one-half cup strong washing solution and two cups of water to the pan. Cover and heat slowly and cook for 30 minutes.

When Salt Hardens in Shakers.—Remove tops, turn upside down, fill with hot paraffin and place upside down on a smooth surface. Before paraffin becomes too hard open holes in shaker tops with a toothpick. Salt will keep quite dry in shaker when covers are treated in this manner.

Orange and Pumpkin.—Orange blends well with pumpkin. Add a little orange juice or grated orange rind to your next pumpkin pie filling. A fourth of a teaspoonful is enough.

Tempting Dish.—Candied sweet potatoes have a distinctive flavor if they are sweetened with honey. Sprinkle a few cashew or Brazil nut fragments over the tops just before serving.

ARE YOU All Nerves?

Hagerstown, Md., Mrs. Blanche Stone, 575 Jefferson St., says: "For a weakness condition and upset nerves, I recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. When I suffered from nervous and an all-tired-out feeling, Favorite Prescription gave me an appetite and made me feel better in a short time." Buy it in liquid or tablet form from your druggist today. See how much calmer and stronger you feel after using this tonic.

Misnamed Fate
We make our fortunes, and we call them fate.—Beaconsfield.

RIGHT THIS VERY MINUTE How Do You Feel?

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They are offered by merchants who are not afraid to announce their prices or the quality of the merchandise they offer.

Led by a Harvard History Professor, A Party of 'Scholarly Navigators' Is Retracing the Voyages of Columbus

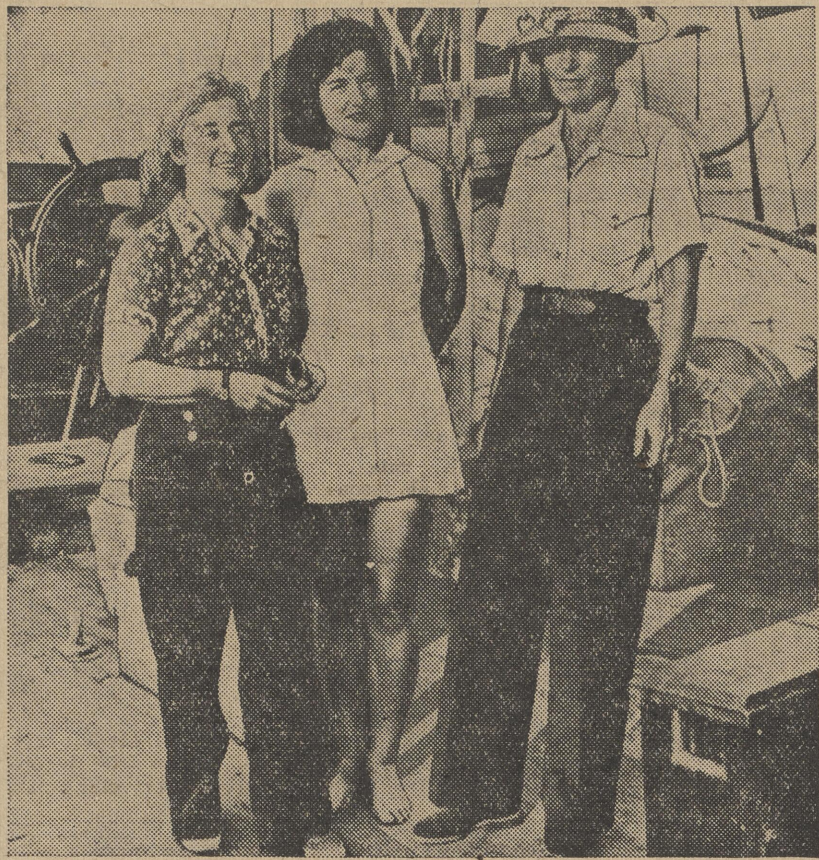
By ELMO SCOTT WATSON
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

HOW good a navigator was Christopher Columbus, whom a large part of the world honors on October 12 as the "discoverer of America"? So far, most of the men who have attempted to answer that question have been scholars who had no knowledge of seamanship or navigation. Writing in their cloistered retreats or in libraries, they have indulged in fruitless speculation and inaccurate guesses as they dealt with the really vital part of the career of the great Italian explorer.

Recently one of these scholars, who for many years has combined historical scholarship with practical seamanship, decided to try to answer the question in a really practical way. He would make a definite estimate of Columbus as a seaman and discoverer by sailing the seas he sailed and visiting the places he visited.

This scholar is Professor Samuel Eliot Morison of Harvard university, official historian for that famous institution of higher learning and author of the prize-winning history of Harvard for its tercentenary celebration three years ago. But, more important than that to his newest piece of "research," is the fact that in 1937-38 he sailed among the Lesser Antilles in a yawl and checked up on the route of Columbus' voyage. In January of this year, he followed the route of the explorer's first voyage along the north coast of Haiti and identified the approximate site of Navidad, the first European settlement in the New World.

To follow up on that experiment in "retracing the voyages of Columbus," Professor Morison set out two months ago on a more ambitious project. One morning in August a 100-foot three-masted steel ketch put to sea from Oyster Bay, L. I. She was the Capitana—named for the flagship of Columbus' third voyage. She was captained by Paul Hammond, famous racing skipper and ocean cruiser who served in the



These ladies are on the 'back-tracking-on-Columbus' voyage. They are (left to right) Mrs. Samuel E. Morison (wife of the Harvard history professor who is leading the expedition), who is a stewardess on the Capitana during part of the trip; her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Morison, who is also serving as a stewardess; and Mrs. Paul Hammond, wife of the commander of the ketch Mary Otis, who is chief stewardess.

set forth on his first voyage. The next objective will be San Lucar de Barrameda, where Columbus' third voyage started. The Mary Otis will sail up the Guadalquivir river, the route of the Spanish treasure galleons to Seville. The historians in the party will study Columbus' marginal comments in his books on the Columbian library at Seville, look up certain points in the Archives of the Indies, and visit Cordova, where Columbus first met Ferdinand and Isabella, and where his son Ferdinand was born.

The next objective will be Porto Santo, the island near Madeira where Columbus married the daughter of a Portuguese gentleman, and lived for some time. After a call at Funchal, the expedition will proceed to the Canaries, the jumping-off place for three out of four of Columbus' voyages.

From San Sebastian, Gomera, Canary islands, the two vessels will follow approximately the

by the late Admiral Murdock, Rudolf Cronau, Glenn Stewart, and George B. Massey.

As the expedition includes at least eight experienced navigators there will be constant analysis of Columbus' work as a seaman and navigator in connection with the existing accounts of his voyages. Some historians have hailed Columbus as the greatest navigator of all time, while others claim that he was a mere landlubber with a big idea; yet none of these authorities ever took the trouble to follow his courses themselves, and few knew anything about navigation. This reevaluation of Columbus as a seaman and navigator will be the most important part of the expedition's work. A second part of the work will be to identify the American places touched at in his four voyages; and a third will be to obtain photographs of the coasts that he followed.

The party does not expect to find anything new or startling about Columbus. It will supplement the excellent research on portions of his life by scholars such as Von Humboldt, De Lollis, Charcot, Harrisse, Vignaud, Magnaghi, and Windsor by investigations in the ocean field. A select library of about 300 volumes of Columbian will be aboard to aid the navigators in their work. The expedition does hope to achieve a better understanding of the most momentous voyages of modern times, and accurately to rewrite the opening chapters of American history. It will attempt to do for Columbus what Francis Parkman did for the history of France in the New World.

The Capitana, Commodore Morison's "flagship" has had an interesting history. She began life 10 years ago as a three-masted, gaff-headed British schooner yacht. Her mizzen was subsequently shortened and she became a ketch. In preparation for this voyage, Captain Hammond completely rigged her with sails and gear from other large yachts. The foremast has a staysail rig and two or three of the Aloha's old yards will be crossed for the tradewinds. By that time she can probably be called a barkentine.

Unlike Columbus' Capitana which, of course, had to depend entirely upon the winds to propel her across the Atlantic, Morison's Capitana has a 250-horsepower Diesel engine to keep her going should she become becalmed. The ketch, Mary Otis, built in South Bristol, Maine, in 1936, is only 45 feet long but she has already made two ocean crossings under Captain Stevens.

Both vessels are manned by a distinguished crew of scholars and practical seamen, all of whom will take part in the work of operating their respective ships and all of whom, except those in the steward's department, will take turns "standing watch."

The expedition has been largely financed by those who are accompanying Professor Morison on the voyage, with the aid of grants from the Mellon Educational foundation of Pittsburgh, the Carnegie corporation of New York, the Milton fund of Harvard and several other companies and individuals who contributed such supplies as sails and gear, a direction finder, a two-way radio set, a surgical kit, heraldic designs and flags.

Most Americans are familiar with the story of Christopher Columbus but how many of us have a clear picture of what took place on that historic October day 447 years ago in a little island in the West Indies? Modern scholarship has found but little to correct in the record as it is set down by Washington Irving in his "Life and Voyages of Columbus." He wrote, in part, as follows:

"It was on Friday morning the twelfth of October, that Columbus first beheld the New World. As the day dawned he saw before him a level island, several leagues in extent, and covered with trees like a continual orchard. Though apparently uncultivated, it was populous, for the inhabitants were seen issuing from all parts of the woods and running to the shore. They were perfectly naked, and as they stood gazing at the ships, appeared by their attitudes and gestures to be lost in astonishment. Columbus made signal for the ships to cast anchor, and the boats to be manned and armed. He entered his own boat, richly attired in scarlet, and hiding the royal standard; while Martin Alonso Pinzon, and Vicente Yanez, his brother, put off in company in their boats.

"As he approached the shore, Columbus, who was disposed of all kinds of agreeable impressions, was delighted with the purity and suavity of the atmosphere, the crystal transparency of the sea, and the beauty of the vegetation. On landing he threw himself on his knees, kissed the earth, and returned thanks to God with tears of joy. His example was followed by the rest, whose hearts indeed overflowed with the same feelings of gratitude. Columbus, then rising, drew his sword, displayed the royal standard, and assembling round



The earliest engraved likeness of Columbus (from Paulus Virorum 'Elogia Virorum Illustrum', 1595.)

him the two captains, with Rodrigo de Escobedo, notary of the armament, Rodrigo Sanchez, and the rest who had landed, he took possession in the name of the Castilian sovereigns, giving the island the name of San Salvador.

"The feelings of the crew now burst forth in the most extravagant transports. They had recently considered themselves devoted men, hurrying forward to destruction; they now looked upon themselves as favorites of fortune, and gave themselves up to the most unbounded joy. They thronged around the admiral with overflowing zeal, some embracing him, others kissing his hands. Those who had been most mutinous and turbulent during the voyage were now most devoted and enthusiastic. Some begged favors of him, as if he already had wealth and honors in his gift.

"The natives of the island, when at the dawn of day they had beheld the ships hovering on their coast, had supposed their monsters which had issued from the deep during the night. They had crowded to the beach and watched their movements with anxiety. When they beheld their boats approach the shore, and a number of strange beings clad in glittering steel, landing upon the beach, they fled in affright to the woods. Finding, however, that there was no attempt to pursue or molest them, they gradually recovered from their terror, and approached the Spaniards with great awe. During the ceremonies of taking possession, they remained gazing in timid admiration at the complexion, the beard, the shining armor, and splendid dress of the Spaniards. The admiral particularly attracted their attention, from his commanding height, his air of authority, his dress of scarlet, and the deference which was paid him by his companions; all which pointed him out to be the commander. When they had still further recovered from their fears, they approached the Spaniards, touched their beards, and examined their hands and faces, admiring their whiteness. Columbus was pleased with their gentleness and confiding simplicity, and suffered their scrutiny with perfect acquiescence, winning them by his benignity.

"As Columbus supposed himself to have landed on an island and at the extremity of India, he called the natives by the general appellation of Indians, which was universally adopted before the true nature of his discovery was known, and has since been extended to all the aboriginals of the New world."

Egoists Thwart Child's Natural Talent Trends

● ALLOW CHILD TO DEVELOP characteristics. Heredity plays strange tricks, and "like father, like son" doesn't always hold true. Individual inclinations should be recognized and honored.

By FRANCES DUNLAP HERON

THE mothers of the second grade pupils were leaving school after attending a program presented by their children. Martha Kent and Sylvia Thomson paired off to walk down Elm street together.

"How proud you must be of Marianne, Sylvia!" her friend exclaimed. "I envy you every time I hear her sing. She has more musical talent than any other child in the group. If only my Donald had her ability!"

"Of course I'm proud of Marianne," Sylvia replied. "But music isn't the only thing in life. Do you mind, Martha, if I speak to you about something personal?"

"Why, of course not, Sylvia." "It's about Donald. Ever since I've known you, three years now, you've lamented over and over again the fact that Donald doesn't show aptitude in music. Now tell me honestly why you feel so keenly about it."

"Well, you see, Frank and I just naturally expected our child would be musical. Both of our families have more than average talent. You know yourself Frank plays and sings beautifully and—"

"You're a delightful organist, violinist and singer—I'll save your modesty," Sylvia interrupted laughingly. "And you dreamed of Donald's carrying on the tradition, didn't you?"

"Yes," The word spoke frustrated hopes.

"Now listen to my story," Sylvia continued. "Do you suppose we expected our Marianne to be musical? No. Vick and I do well to carry a tune. But, we thought Marianne would be a shining intellectual light, perhaps a linguist or historian or scientist. Look at Vick's family of teachers and literary people. And if I do say so, my lawyer husband is pretty smart—Phi Beta and all that. And I, well, at least my school work was my joy, and I was always disappointed if I was not at the head of my class."

"Much to our surprise and disappointment, however, from the time she was a baby Marianne showed an entirely different type of mind from ours—no logic, no reflection, no ingenuity. Hoping to bring out what we could not find, we sent her to kindergarten. Miss Meloy, the teacher, studied every child carefully, and I marvel yet at her insight."

"One day after several months of school she was having conferences with parents. 'Mrs. Thomson, she said to me, 'you and Marianne's father are trying to mold her instead of letting her develop in her own way. You want her to be a deeply intellectual person. Marianne has not that turn of mind. I doubt if she was born to be a great thinker. But for a child of her age she has a talent for music and an appreciation of rhythm and beauty that are remarkable. Develop them.'"

"That young kindergarten teacher opened our eyes, and we're trying to follow her advice. Now about your Donald. I think he has one of the best minds of all the children I know. The way he sizes up a situation and goes logically to a solution is wonderful. At play, he is the one who devises games and leads. Don't you see? Forget his lack of musical genius and help him develop his own particular gifts. Why the scholarly Thomsons should have a musical daughter and the musical Kents a scholarly son is just one of the queer tricks heredity plays!"

Martha Kent was thoughtful. "To think I've never looked at it that way! I wish you'd spoken to me sooner. But we aren't the only ones who've erred, are we? I know a lot of parents who expect their children to be like them. I suppose it's our egotism."

National Kindergarten Association (WNU Service.)

Little-Known Eagle

The harty eagle, a native of the forest fastness of the Brazilian jungles, is a powerful predator and the most striking member of the eagle family. Unlike our native species its wings and tail are short and it is seldom seen in flight. A five-foot wingspread is considered the limit for this bird. It finds all of its food in the jungle and prefers monkeys, sloths and peacocks as a diet. The Indians capture and cage this bird keeping it in confinement for the decorative feathers it produces.

Snake Bite Protection

Because a rattler's bite means sure death unless the victim is promptly and properly treated, many people who live in sections where the snakes are numerous keep special bite kits on hand. These usually contain a sharp knife to cut open the wound; a cup-shaped glass to suck out the venom; a tourniquet to tie above the wound and prevent poison from spreading to other parts of the body; anti-venom serum; permanganate crystals to heal the cut, and bandages.

Original Indian Tribes

Indian tribes were formed originally as family units—that is, the members of a certain family banded themselves, maintaining certain customs of life and religion. Various factors afterward caused the tribes to expand.

Pineapple Vitamins

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Strange Facts

Amused the Ladies Life Stage Contract Mongolians Marked

As late as 1921, twelve hundred clergymen, representing fifteen denominations, met in Philadelphia to choose and promote a "moral gown for women." The creation finally selected was somber in color, sacklike in design and reached from the neck to the ground. The ladies were merely amused.

The longest term theatrical contracts made at the present time are those issued by the Comedie Francaise, the French national theater in Paris. An artist who becomes a member of this company is obliged to sign an agreement to remain for twenty years.

The ticking of a watch may be heard at a distance of fifty feet by placing it in the proper position before a parabolic mirror and having the observer stand at the point where the reflected sound waves converge.

"The Mongolian spot," is a patch of pigmentation appearing on nearly all children of Mongoloid peoples. It occurs at the lower end of the spine, has a dark blue or mulberry color, is about the size of a silver quarter, and disappears before the fifth year.—Collier's.

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Whites and Blacks

The white or Caucasian race estimated at 798,400,000 living in most of Europe, north Africa, Australia, South Africa, the two American continents, etc. The black or Negro race, estimated at 241,750,000, inhabits most of Africa, also parts of America and the West Indies. Johannesburg contains a European (white) population of 203,298 and a Negro population of 136,298.

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The first dose of this pleasant-tasting little pill habit doesn't give you any relief. It's a complete relief you have experienced and bottle back to us and get DOUBLE MONEY BACK. This Bell's-on tablet helps the stomach digest food, makes the entire digestive tract active and lessens the nourishing foods you need. For heartburn, sick headache, gas, bloating, indigestion, and all other ailments making you feel sour and sick all other tablets give you relief. See every bottle.

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The departure of Columbus. (From an illustration in De Bry's 'Voyages', 1590.)

World war, but the most important figure on her deck was Professor Morison, leader of the "Harvard Columbus expedition."

Rendezvous in the Azores.

Several days previously the ketch Mary Otis had set out from Portland, Maine, under the command of Capt. William D. Stevens, who served as ensign in the United States navy during the World war. Headed for Flores in the Azores where she would join the "flagship" of the "modern Columbus." This smaller vessel, like Columbus' Nina, is expected to be most useful for poking into harbors and up rivers that the Capitana with her 15-foot draft cannot enter.

On the first leg of their voyage the Capitana and the Mary Otis picked up the course of Columbus' return passage of 1493 near the Azores, called at Santa Maria, where the Nina put in after a bad storm, and visited the little chapel, where Columbus' men heard mass. The expedition then made for Lisbon, concluding the route of the first voyage of the Italian navigator, and spent some time there identifying and photographing places associated with Columbus. After that, the plans of the expedition, as announced before it set out, were as follows:

From Lisbon the party was to sail to Huelva, opposite the Convent of La Rabida and the seaport of Palos whence Columbus

route of Columbus' third voyage to Trinidad, and identify the landfall of the three hills which gave him the idea of naming the island after the Holy Trinity.

After calls at Port of Spain, Curacao and Cartagena, they will pick up the route of his fourth voyage and follow it along the Central American coast, as far as Honduras. This was the second most important of Columbus' voyages, for he discovered a large section of the mainland, began the first European settlement on terra firma (Santa Maria de Belem), and paved the way for the discovery of the Pacific. Yet it is the least known; and a number of the places such as his refuge harbor in or near the Gulf of San Blas, the Rio de Veraguas, and the site of Belem itself, have never been certainly identified. The vessels will probably spend Christmas at Puerto Limon, Costa Rica.

Voyage Ends in 1940.

From Central America the expedition will stretch across the Caribbean to the northern coast of Jamaica, where Columbus spent over a year; and if time permits will clear up some doubtful points about his course around Hispaniola. The voyage will end in Haiti about February 1, 1940. This is not intended to visit the Bahamas because Columbus' landfall at San Salvador has been identified and his course through the Bahamas accurately traced

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Both vessels are manned by a distinguished crew of scholars and practical seamen, all of whom will take part in the work of operating their respective ships and all of whom, except those in the steward's department, will take turns "standing watch."

The expedition has been largely financed by those who are accompanying Professor Morison on the voyage, with the aid of grants from the Mellon Educational foundation of Pittsburgh, the Carnegie corporation of New York, the Milton fund of Harvard and several other companies and individuals who contributed such supplies as sails and gear, a direction finder, a two-way radio set, a surgical kit, heraldic designs and flags.



Christopher Columbus lands in the New World and takes formal possession in the name of the monarchs of Spain.

October 12, 1492
On this day Christopher Columbus landed on an island in the West Indies and named it San Salvador. The natives were at first fearful, but finally came from their hiding places to worship Columbus, whom they believed was a god. Columbus was astounded by the vegetation and richness of the land, and took possession of it. Shown at the left is an artist's conception of the landing.



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A Red Cross button in your coat lapel demonstrates that you are supporting the humane work of the American Red Cross. Join today.

Because of greatly increased responsibilities at home and abroad, the American Red Cross this year appeals for a great many more members. Last year the Red Cross emblem of mercy waved at the scene of 157 disasters in this country, bringing assistance to nearly 130,000 sufferers. Join during Roll Call this year, November 11 through 30, and keep your Red Cross ready.

As a pioneer in public health nursing in this country, the Red Cross has reached tens of thousands of needy ill in the past quarter century. Last year Red Cross public health nurses made more than a million visits of mercy. Join in Red Cross today.

This year, the Red Cross trained its one millionth life saver. Since this program was established 25 years ago, thousands of lives have been saved through greater knowledge of water safety and the ability to meet emergencies. Join your Red Cross Chapter during Roll Call this year and add your name to the millions of American who are combatting human distress.

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ship support at Red Cross Roll Call this year, November 11 through 30, will enable this program to continue its battle against accidental death and serious injury.

Since 1935, the American Red Cross has established 5,362 highway First Aid Stations throughout the United States. Expansion of this program, through the support of your membership, will enable the Red Cross to render emergency care for motorists injured in accidents. Join your local chapter at Roll Call time—November 11-30.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1939 At 2 O'clock P. M.

ALL that certain property situated on the west side of Weiner Avenue in Harrington, Kent County Delaware, bounded on the north by lands of J. C. Messner, on the west by a ten-foot alley, on the south by lands of Abner Hickman, having a front on Weiner Avenue of 60 feet and extending back between parallel lines a distance of 300 feet, containing 18,000 square feet of land, more or less, and being No. 307 Weiner Avenue and being the same property conveyed unto Addie V. Satterfield by deed of The Peoples Bank of Harrington, dated September 1, 1937 and of record at Dover in Deed Book D, Vol. 15, Page 153.

TERMS OF SALE The purchaser will be required to pay 20 per cent of the purchase price to the Undersigned on the day of sale and the balance of the purchase price within thirty days thereafter. All taxes for 1939 have been paid. Fire insurance policy for \$3,000 to November 19, 1941, will be transferred to the purchaser at final settlement. Possession will be given at time of final settlement. Amount paid on day of sale will be retained as ascertained and liquidated damages if balance of the purchase

price is not paid as aforesaid, otherwise will be applied on account of purchase price at time of final settlement. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

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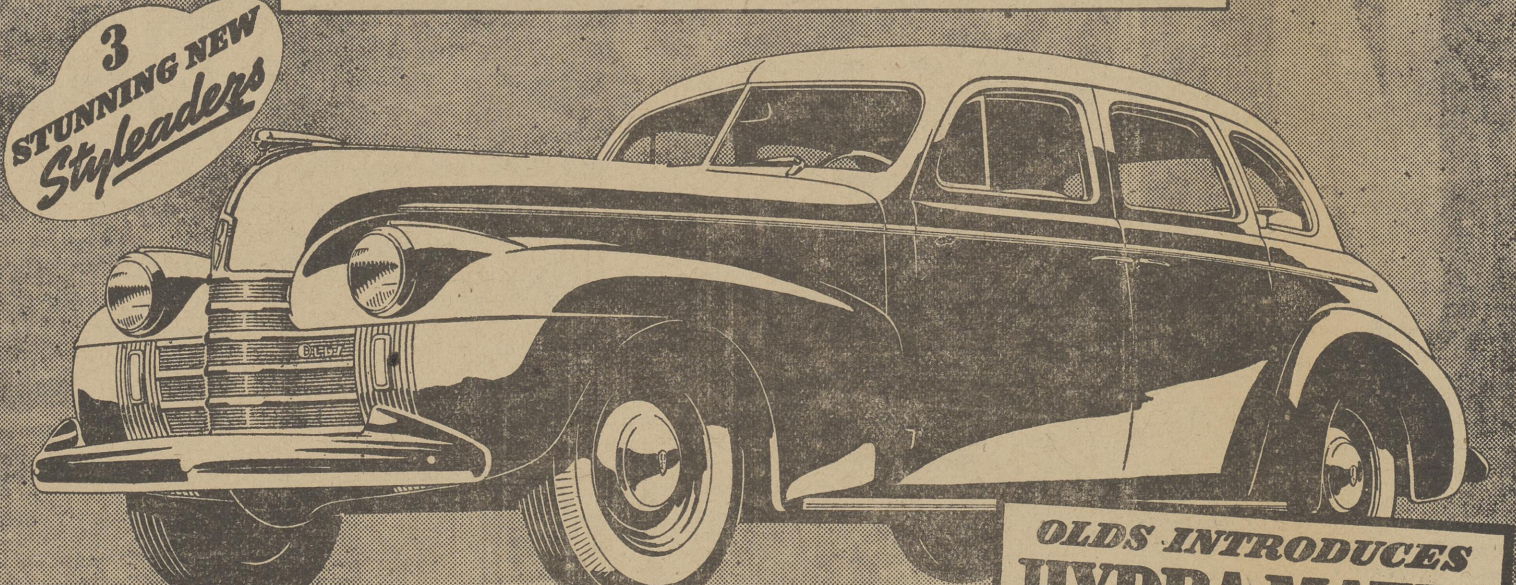
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Lv. Harrington, Stone's Hotel 7:30 a. m.

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Of Local Interest

Misses Hazel Jester, Kathryn and Madeline Tucker spent the week-end in Wilmington.

The Ladies of the Union Methodist Church of Burrsville, will hold their annual fall supper at the Community Hall, Burrsville on Wednesday, October 11th. Menu consists of oysters, ham, chicken salad. Price, adults 50c, children 25c.

Frank Steinmetz spent several days this week visiting his sister, Mrs. Jack Robinson, at Millville, N. J.

Wanted—Woman to do housework. Laundry sent out.—Mrs. C. E. Keyes, Farmington. Phone Harrington 195.

James T. Shilcutt spent Wednesday in Washington.

Mrs. Wm. J. Grace and son, Billy, of Philadelphia, spent several days this week with Mrs. Grace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mayer.

Wanted—White or colored girl for part-time housework. Apply at Journal office.

Miss Anna Sibitzky has accepted a position as demonstrator with the Federal Baking Company, Wilmington.

For Sale—Male Rat Terrier puppy. Excellent pet for children.—Harry C. Tee.

Mrs. Martha Conoway of Ocean View is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McCabe.

No hunting day or night on my property.—Ernest Vogl, Harrington, Delaware.

Mrs. Ruth Fleming of Wilmington is spending some time with the Misses Annie and Laura Fleming.

Having traded Harry Black for his riding mare, saddle and bridle, I will sell cheap.—J. Gordon Smith.

Miss Eloise Chipman, of Cambridge, Md., spent the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Chipman.

Furnished house for rent in exchange for board.—Mrs. Rebecca Tumlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frankhouser and son of Penns Grove, N. J., visited Harrington friends recently.

FOR SALE—2 10-20 McCormick Deering tractors. Bargains for immediate purchases. O. A. Newton & Son Company, Bridgeville, Delaware, Phone 2551.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cain of Newark, Mrs. Lydia Sullivan and Arthur Jennings of Wilmington were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hasty Cain.

For sale—170 White Leghorn pullets, large type, Hanson strain, beginning to lay, 95 cents each. 800 Banded Rock pullets, 60 cents each.—Mrs. Harry Heath, Harrington, Delaware.

Mrs. W. R. Taylor of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Roxie Taylor.

FOR SALE—1 pair sorrel horses, 5 years old. An excellent buy for any one desiring quality stock. Can be seen at address listed below. O. A. Newton & Son Company, Bridgeville, Delaware, Phone 2551.

Miss Charlotte Beauchamp of Newark spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Beauchamp.

FOR SALE—Golden Jubilee and Slappy peaches. Elbertas and Hales following. Any quantity; carefully graded. O. A. Newton & Son Company, Bridgeville, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denney have been visiting in Wilmington.

Miss Betty Derrickson, who is attending a business school in Philadelphia, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Derrickson.

For Sale—Household furniture at private sale.—Mrs. A. J. Grimes, Clark Avenue or 304 Lake Avenue, Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis, Miss Anna Lewis and Mrs. Earl Johnston, of Wilmington, and Tharp Martin, of Bellfonte, spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Callaway.

FOR SALE—1 Gray Mare and 1 four-year-old colt. Both animals ready for any job or purpose. O. A. Newton & Son Company, Bridgeville, Delaware.

Miss Willie Wyatt has been visiting at Cheswold.

James H. Morgan, of New Haven, Conn., is spending two or three weeks with relatives and friends near town. Mr. Morgan left Delaware twenty-eight years ago.

For sale—1 110 volt, 1500 watt Kohler plant, nearly new, perfect condition. Also 1 6 volt, 32 watt, Delco plant, perfect condition, nearly new. Cheap to quick buyer.—Satterfield & Ryan, Harrington, Del.

Mrs. Harvey Winkler of Wilmington spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Jennie Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. James V. Harrington have been guests of Miss Hazel Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Slaughter spent the week-end in New York.

Mr. Nasser, of the Harrington High School faculty, delivered an interesting talk on vocational training at the Rotary Club Tuesday evening.

Miss Bess Holt of Wilmington visited the Misses Annie and Laura Fleming Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Masten has returned home after spending the summer in Wilmington and Penns Grove.

Mrs. Alfred Conoway is in the Milford Emergency Hospital, recuperating from an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Clarence Bader, of Wilmington has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Warren T. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Pollitt of Camden, N. J., have been guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Emma Smith.

The Misses Lucille and Janette Tharp attended the football game at Annapolis Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Gruwell, of Wilmington, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gruwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams were at Milford, Pa., last week to see Emil Adams, who is ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. D. B. Tharp has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Byron Van Sant, at Richardson Park.

Reginald Nelson of Wilmington has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. Florence Nelson.

Tony Perroni went to New York this week to meet his wife, who arrived in that city from Italy the first of the week.

Burton Taylor, of Coatesville, Pa., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Roxy Taylor.

FOR SALE—Rotenone and other Newton Superfine Dust Mixtures. Consult us on your insect and disease problems. O. A. Newton & Son Company, Bridgeville, Delaware.

JOB-CREATING REVEALS INITIATIVE OF YOUTH

Job making, as contrasted to job seeking, looms as a hopeful aspect in the unemployment situation. Especially among young people does the "pioneering spirit" enter into job thinking, if the results of a recent NYA sponsored job-creation contest in Illinois are typical of youth of the nation. Maxine Davis summarizes its results in the current Rotarian Magazine.

Initiative and ingenuity were ingredients in prize-winning ideas. For example, Myrtle Pauline Rose, of Maunee, discovered the need people have for birth certificates, and for a small sum handles the technicalities of getting them for clients.

Turning his Nature hobby into the business of supplying such items as frogs, crayfish, and earthworms to high school biological laboratories brought Mitro Pellock, of Bend, a prize and a good income.

Two brothers in Rockford, aged 17 and 16, opened a shoppers' service in their town. They have a crew of boys with bicycles who do any errand for 10 cents. Operated with strict efficiency, it has proved a profitable venture.

Tricky inventions of potential commercial value put other ingenious lads above the job-hunting class. August Mazzone, of Chicago, devised a transparent rubber band to fit over wrist watches and protect them from water while swimming or washing dishes.

William Harris, of Urbana, has developed a new idea in T squares which may give him a good income. Dave Daer invented a right-angular instead of a round thumbtack for drawing boards which has profit possibilities.

As novel inits way(continues Miss Davis, is the idea of several Chicago boys who rented a vacant lot near a high school and "park" bicycles for 2c a day.

State N. Y. A. Administrator William J. Campbell, serving on a volunteer basis since his recent appointment as district attorney in Chicago, is pleased with the results because they prove that American youth still has individual ideas.

"We have a pessimistic older generation which has talked hard times so long the youngsters are licked before they start," he says. "All the boys and girls hear is that security is the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow. Security! American youth has never had security. The genius of the American people has always been in the insecurity of its people. I cannot conceive of normal, natural American youth without the spirit of adventure."

STATE ROAD BOARD TO ATTEND MEETING

Delaware will be well represented at the annual meeting of the American Association of State Highway Officials which will be held in Washington and

Richmond next week. W. W. Mack, chief engineer of the State Highway Department, is president of the association.

Twenty-five years of road building will be featured during the annual meeting which will open with an anniversary session in Washington on Monday and then proceed to Richmond for the opening of the regular program on Monday night when a series of conferences will be held.

In addition to Mr. Mack, the Delaware officials who will attend the sessions includes some members of the State Highway Commission; Samuel Knoff, assistant chief engineer; B. A. Vandergriff, resident engineer for New Castle county, Theodore Pyle, resident engineer for Kent county; John Hitchens, resident engineer for Sussex county; Arthur G. Livingston, bridge engineer; M. Allen Wilson, testing engineer and Robert C. Densten, assistant engineer in charge of federal aid relations.

"During the week the State Highway Departments of the United States will call attention of the highway traveling public to the great advantage in road improvements since the formation of a national association twenty-five years ago," Mr. Mack said.

"It will be a silver anniversary celebration, and we will begin the week by presenting certificates to the living fifteen founders at a gathering in the Raleigh Hotel in Washington, where the association was born," continued Mr. Mack.

To visualize the contrast between the years 1914 and 1939, there will be on display at the convention large pictorial panels for each State showing the progress for each G.I. the progress in road improvement in the intervening time. The surprise will be that there are some of the most populated and wealthy States in the Union that twenty-five years ago did not have a single mile of surfaced country road.



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SHERLOCK HOLMES"

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500 x 20	12.40	8.40	600 x 17	16.50	10.75
525 x 17	12.90	8.40	625 x 16	17.95	12.05
525 x 18	13.35	8.65	650 x 16	19.35	12.95
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700 x 20	38.95	26.95	32 x 6-10 ply	50.60	34.40
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ATTEST: STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT C. P. Holcomb, Secretary By: Charles W. Cullen, Chairman Dover, August 28, 1939.

Who Creates CREDIT?

THE suggestion has often been made that banks should "create more credit." The truth is that a bank is only one of the parties necessary to the creation of credit. The other is a worthy borrower, able to employ bank funds profitably and to repay them when due. This bank has money to lend. It is anxious to make sound loans. If you wish to borrow, we will welcome your application.

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IT PAYS TO HAVE A TELEPHONE THE DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE COMPANY

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

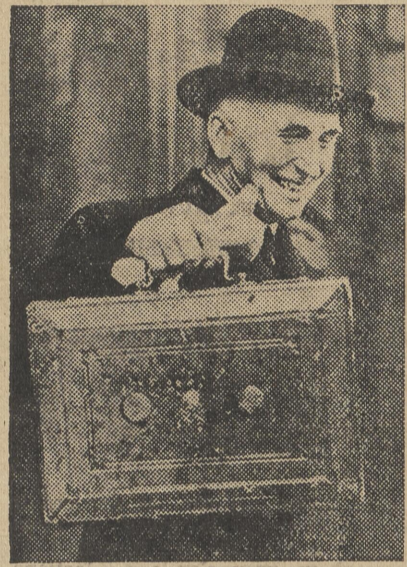
How to Pay for New Conflict Is Europe's Biggest Problem; British Taxes Set New Record

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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THE WAR: Finance

Great Britain entered the World War in 1914 with a 640,000,000-pound debt, raised her tax rate to six shillings in the pound (or 30 per cent) and probably spent 11,076,000,000 pounds (about \$55,000,000,000) to lick the Kaiser. In 1939 Britain's record peacetime budget was 1,322,444,000 pounds, of which 380,000,000 pounds was to be borrowed. Most of this was for defense, but what bothered Britishers most on September 1, when they declared war on Adolf Hitler, was their current public debt of 8,200,000,000 pounds, 13 times greater than 1914's.

To Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer, fell the financing job. Up to the house of commons Sir John carried his first war budget,



SIR JOHN AND BUDGET
U. S. taxpayers can be thankful.

neatly packaged in the ancient case (see photo) which exchequers have used for years. Preliminary, commons knew the war of 1939 would cost more than the last conflict, would possibly last longer, and would positively bleed the British taxpayer to death. Sir John therefore surprised no one with his budget.

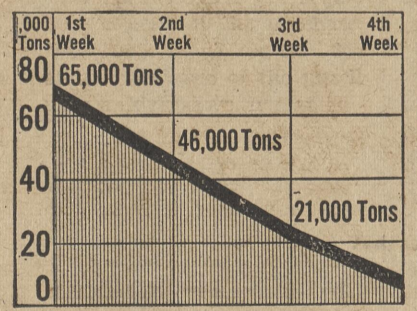
To raise 70,000,000 extra pounds this year, and 146,000,000 extra the next fiscal year, Sir John assessed incomes at seven shillings in the pound, or 35 per cent, until next March 31; for the full 1940-41 fiscal year the rate is seven shillings sixpence, or 37 per cent. American taxpayers should have enjoyed the comparison:

Income of \$2,000 per year:	American British
Family with two children	None \$ 70.00
Married couple, no children	None 246.26
Bachelor	\$ 40 350.40
Income of \$4,000 per year:	
Family with two children	23 721.26
Couple, no children	60 871.26
Bachelor	120 976.26
Income of \$20,000 a year:	
Family with two children	1,184 8,047.26
Couple, no children	1,260 8,232.26
Bachelor	1,450 8,326.26

Meanwhile friskie economists debated how Adolf Hitler was faring in wartime. Disregarding his pre-war debt and his funny financing, it was a good guess that even should these obstacles be overcome the allies' blockade would strangle him. One-fourth his 1938 imports of \$2,000,000,000 would be cut off, including 90 per cent of his high-test gasoline; 67 per cent of his grain and all his cotton, rubber, wool and tin. Even Russia's new friendship could not be expected to offset this loss, for the press of war will keep German factories busy, thus barring exchange of manufactured items for Soviet raw products. And Josef Stalin is not altruistic.

At Sea

One bright autumn day North sea villagers in both Norway and Denmark heard cannonading at sea, occasionally spotting aircraft over the horizon. The booming stopped at night but started with new fury next day. Both Britain and Berlin



BRITAIN'S SHIPPING LOSSES
Submarines went down, too.

at first denied a battle, then each admitted it and claimed victory. The press could choose between the Reich's report that one British airplane carrier had been destroyed and a battleship badly damaged, or the report of London's first lord of the admiralty, Winston Churchill, that a German attack had been repulsed with no losses.

Day before, popular Mr. Churchill told the house of commons that "a third" of Germany's submarines had been destroyed and that shipping losses were about a third what

they were in disastrous April, 1917. Moreover, losses were still going down (see chart). What he did not point out is that Britain has fewer boats at sea now than on September 1.

Eastern Front

After a 20-day siege, during which it was "bombed and burned into an unspeakable inferno," during which thousands of civilians died from bombs, bullets, pestilence or horsemeat diet, Warsaw surrendered and the war in Poland was over.

Western Front

After a month of see-saw fighting during which French-British troops apparently had the upper hand (thanks to Germany's pre-occupation with Poland) the battle of Siegfried vs. Maginot apparently got under way. French pressure was heaviest near Zweibrücken in the Saar region, and at least one report said that heavy French cannonading smashed a hole in the main Siegfried line between Merzig and Saarbrücken. Certain it was that heavy artillery assumed new importance, for the French war office admitted enemy shells were falling in small towns behind the Maginot line. For the moment, Premier Edouard Daladier could tell his council of ministers at the situation was "most satisfactory."

DOMESTIC: Repercussions

Dramatic volumes might have been written last month about how Europe's war whipped the slow stream of U. S. life into a raging river filled with whirlpools, quicksand beds and bottomless pits. At Los Angeles Mrs. Josephine Mair filed a notarized document forbidding her two sons from "participating in any activity called war." The U. S. fleet began secret battle games in the Pacific, a vast naval training program was planned at Hawaii's Pearl harbor, and President Roosevelt urged a cessation of foreign purchases of war materials that the U. S. might create its own reserves.

While Texas' Rep. Martin Dies waved the flag to forecast all Communists and Fascists in government jobs would soon be ousted, while the American Legion in convention cut its foreign tie with the Federal Interallies des Ancien combattants, while two-thirds of the people (in a Gallup poll) said they don't believe German news reports, congress wrestled with neutrality and appeared to be making progress on a proposal to lift the arms embargo and substitute cash-and-carry.

Franklin Roosevelt's administration was winning, thanks to smart handling of the issue by Sen. Key Pittman and colleagues. To placate anti-repealers and anti-New Dealers, congress was given power which the President alone enjoys under the present act, to decide when a foreign war exists. In every other provision there was similar rigidity, so that isolationists were left with little to fight except the fast-fading issue of embargo vs. cash-and-carry. Having started the ball rolling, the White House left neutrality severely alone. Secretary of State Cordell Hull, asked for his opinions, answered Sen. Arthur Vandenberg that he had "complete confidence" in the legislative branch and that he had no "particular comment" to make.

Next day the senate foreign relations committee okayed cash-and-carry, sending it to the floor for "hell-to-breakfast" debate. This was war's effect on government. On business, the effect was a fearsome upsurge that may some day boomerang. Items:

On the farm, the department of agriculture found all larders full to bursting (July 1 wheat supplies were 275,000,000 bushels over a year ago). The year's agricultural income, once expected to slump far below 1938's \$8,000,000,000 mark, may now be only 100,000,000 shy. Flour output reached a 12-year high.

Railroads everywhere placed new equipment orders. Typical was the Burlington's bid for 14 locomotives. A 22.4 per cent rise in car-loadings was forecast for 1939's last quarter (compared with last year).

Steel mills, America's No. 1 heavy industry, operated at 83.3 per cent of capacity, dangerously near the 85 per cent mark which steel men consider a practical level.

Oil production was up. A typical late September week brought 3,681,000 barrels, a gain of 258,000 barrels over the preceding seven days.

Electricity production rose, contra-seasonally, about 13.7 per cent in a week.

hung high or low on the wheels, and each wheel will be powered with a 75-horsepower electric motor and have individual control, so that the wheels can be operated singly, in pairs of all four together, forward or reverse.

Mammot Snow Cruiser For Antarctic Expedition

NEW YORK.—Admiral Richard E. Byrd, on his coming Antarctic expedition, will be able to carry on his explorations in an electrically controlled 300-horsepower snow cruiser, weighing 75,000 pounds and carrying provision to last a year. It will be provided with four rubber-tired wheels, each 10 feet in diameter, and with tires measuring 34 inches across. The body can be

NAMES

that made news

GROVER CLEVELAND BERGDOLL, World war draft dodger who fled to Germany, revealed in his New York trial that he had returned to the U. S. twice (1929 and 1935) under false passport.

PIERCE BUTLER, U. S. Supreme court justice, was seriously ill with a bladder ailment.

FRANCIS J. GAVIN, old-time northwest railroader, was made president of the Great Northern line. Rumors said that Robert E. Woodruff might be the Erie road's next chief.

KING CHRISTIAN X, 69-year-old Danish monarch, was abed with a heart attack. Also ill, at Washington, was Virginia's aged Sen. Carter Glass.

RUSSIA:

Dance Master

Down from the western skies at Moscow dropped a passenger plane bearing German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop. Significantly, perhaps, he gave no Nazi salute nor did his hosts offer a Communist clenched fist. Otherwise the setting was familiar, for when von Ribbentrop reached the Kremlin he found it overrun with Balkan and Baltic statesmen of the type Adolf Hitler used to summon from Austria, Czecho-Slovakia and Poland. This must have worried von Ribbentrop; Russia, having split Poland's loot with Herr Hitler, was emerging as a dominant eastern Eu-



VIACHESLAV MOLOTOV
He out-Hitlerized Herr Hitler.

ropean power that must be watched. Great Britain and France were confident that if left alone, Russia would give Germany more trouble than co-operation despite their kiss over Poland's prostrate form. First there was talk in Moscow diplomatic circles of a "sphere of influence" division in which Russia would control the Baltic, and Germany the Balkans. But later it looked like Russia was taking everything.

Estonia's nervous Foreign Minister Karl Selter scurried to Moscow with explanations of why an interned Polish submarine had been allowed to escape, later sinking a Russian freighter. His explanation was "unacceptable" and soon Soviet troops, warships and planes encircled Estonia. Under this pressure, and while Moscow radio attacked the Estonian government, the little nation soon found it wise to sign a "mutual assistance" pact which grants Russia the right to maintain naval and military bases on islands off the Estonian west coast. Latvia and Lithuania, her neighbors, wondered which would be next.

Turkey's Foreign Minister Sukru Saracoglu was there, too, and soon there were sound reports of a Russo-Rumanian-Bulgarian-Turkish "Black sea bloc" which would smash Adolf Hitler's hope of Balkan expansion. Rumania, between two fires, was leaning Moscow-wise and away from Berlin. Bulgaria's special envoy to the Kremlin established a Moscow-Sofia airline to be followed by a trade pact. Jugo-Slavia had a representative there, too, on a secret mission.

The only fly in this ointment was Herr von Ribbentrop and the 35 "experts" who came with him from Berlin. While Dictator Josef Stalin stayed in the background like any well-behaved master mind should, Premier Viacheslav M. Molotov called the tune that made big German dance as violently as the little Balkan and Baltic states. The mere fact that Hitler's men had gone to Moscow, and not Stalin's men to Berlin, offered good evidence that Russia has grown in one month from a silent, sulking and overgrown boy into a dominant European figure which der Fuehrer must fear.

Only strengthening this suspicion was the official German news agency's report that Russia has agreed to co-operate in an attempt to bring peace between the Reich and the allies. Obviously Herr Hitler was frantically sparing no effort to end the war. The previous weekend had brought a peace feeler from Benito Mussolini, but the result had been negative. Therefore Germany had coaxed and begged Russia into the peace effort, even though the price for this co-operation was a loss to German prestige in eastern Europe. International observers, guessing that Adolf Hitler had found himself playing with fire, decided that Der Fuehrer may yet be consumed by the fire of Josef Stalin's Communism.

War May Use Television
WASHINGTON.—What the role of television may be in the present war has already been revealed in a number of patents granted recently to various inventors. Devices based on television principles to detect enemy planes, dirigibles and submarines, which would permit airplane pilots to pick up images of the terrain while lurking behind clouds and which would even detect mines have been registered at the United States patent office.

Golden Banquet Hall
The Golden Banquet chamber of the city hall of Stockholm, Sweden, has mosaic walls against a background of glittering gold. Over a million tiny pieces of colored stones went to make the decoration and each separate piece gleams on the visitor.

Reno Changes Color
So you think Reno is just a place where people go to get divorces? Well, you're wrong. Statistics for one month recently showed there were five times as many marriages as divorces in the Nevada city.

Portable Heat
A steam radiator which may be carried from room to room has been perfected by a company in Detroit. Weighing 40 pounds and 23 feet in length, the water in it is heated by electricity from a wall socket.



By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK—Early this year, Germany and Italy were making vigorous efforts to swing Brazil into their lineup, perhaps knowing better than the rest of the world what lay ahead.

There were disquieting reports of their progress, later offset by more comforting news and now quite definitely scotched, it would appear. The current insistence of General Pedro Aurelio Goes Monteiro that there must be continental unity in the Western hemisphere is the most definitely responsive message that our state department has yet obtained in its overtures to Latin-America.

"We must be prepared to face any eventuality," says the general, "and to ward off attacks against this continent of liberty and tolerance."

He is known as the "General Grant of Brazil," this tag being due to his suppressing the São Paulo revolt in 1932, and disclosing a penchant for co-operation with the government thereafter. Washington made a great fuss over him, when he was here last July, having prevailed over Germany in an encounter of international tuff-hunting—Germany was readying a big party for him, but he stopped off here, instead.

Fifty years old, round-faced and amiable, he is professional soldier, but bears none of the impress of the military careerist. He moved up slowly through grades in the army, and did not become a captain until 1924. He became chief of staff in 1932, commanding an army of 65,000.

In 1936, his son, Lieut. Pedro Aurelio Goes Monteiro Jr., was killed in an airplane accident. He has one daughter.

VISCOUNT GORT, commanding the British force in France, is only 53 years old and therefore escaped War Minister Leslie Hore-Belisha's army youth movement of 1937. He was one of the American Legion's men in the early days of the World war, a staff officer, in many engagements, honored with the Military cross, the Victoria cross and the Distinguished Service order. He is rather slight in stature, with thinning hair, quietly unassuming, giving to reserve in manner and quiet, easy speech.

He was trained at Sandhurst, and in the World war gained a reputation as a shrewd strategist, capable of scoring without sacrificing too many men. He is distinctly of the pre-1914 school of army tradition, and that has been a matter of considerable satisfaction in England.

Septuagenarians, whispering in their clubs, complained that this young Hore-Belisha, only 43, was raising the very devil with the army. With the sixth Viscount Gort still on the job, there is reassurance.

College Offers Course in Sanity
In Time of War

WASHINGTON.—The course, or rather courses, with four faculty members teaching four courses, each yielding full college credit. Origins and inducements of war, the propaganda build-up and particularized information on any particular war which might be in the offing will be elaborated to boost calm reason and prevent "mass hysteria."

It was in 1933 that Dr. Hutchison told a state convention of New Jersey school teachers that "education in high schools, colleges and universities has become the great American racket." His idea, later expounded and amplified, is that the above is made manifest by the appalling number of college graduates who are just a jump or two ahead of the police in "defalcations, corrupt practices, municipal graft" and the like.

He is a former Presbyterian minister of Florissant, Colo., president of W. & J. since 1932.

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Bruckart's Washington Digest

People of Farms and Small Towns Will Lead Way to Sane Thinking

Less Affected by Selfishness and Mass Emotion Than City Folks; President Puts Republicans on Spot; Embargo Faces Long Debate in Senate.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART
WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON—The late Lord Balfour, one of the really far-seeing British statesmen of two decades ago, once uttered an observation to present conditions. During the early days of 1917 before American force had begun to weigh heavily in the balance of world hostilities, Lord Balfour said to a group of American newspaper editors and publishers:

"The central powers will be defeated in this war, but the test will come after peace has been enforced by arms. The test will be whether the peace we have thus gained will be worth having—whether we can preserve liberty and democracy. I believe we will be able to sustain that peace and preserve that freedom; and I believe, moreover, that it will be the people of rural America—the farms and the small towns—that will lead the world back to sane thinking."

With the congress giving consideration to President Roosevelt's urgent request for repeal of the arms embargo as a means of preserving our neutrality in the present European conflict, but with propaganda stirring up emotions on all sides, there seems to be a need for that "sane thinking" that Lord Balfour mentioned. And, as I said above, it is made to appear that the people of the farms and the small towns are going to have to lead the way again; they have that responsibility because they obviously will be less affected by selfishness, racial interest, foreign influence and mass emotion that upsets thought on issues of this kind. Whether we are able to stay out of this war or whether we get into it, the individualist that is the resident of the small town or the farm has the job of preserving our traditions and our civilization.

Having made such a sweeping statement concerning these responsibilities, I will attempt to show what the facts are, what has been going on in Washington and elsewhere, that has a bearing on the point.

Embargo Debate May Clarify Issues in Public Mind

President Roosevelt's appeal for repeal of the arms embargo was predicated upon his conviction that such action will help us to stay out of the conflict. He argued that there was no reason for the sale of cotton and an embargo on a processed product like gun cotton; that it was silly to permit the sale of aluminum and forbid the sale of airplanes made from aluminum, and so on. It would be more nearly true neutrality, he asserted, if we said to any and all belligerents that they could come here and buy anything they want—provided only that they pay cash on the barrelhead and haul their purchases away in their own ships.

But while the President was making a good case for his position, he also waded into rather muddy ground by calling attention to the fact that much additional employment will be created here by war purchases of unlimited variety. His thread of thought, therefore, can hardly be described as a plan to take the profit out of war. It may be secondary to the great human desire for peace, but the profit phase surely was evident.

Be that as it may, the senate is determined to debate the proposal at great length. It faces a long drawn-out struggle, and the value of that will be, as many senators have stated, to clarify the issues in the public mind. That is to say, there will be a crystallization of sentiment brought about by the debate.

Mr. Roosevelt called in congressional leaders, both Democratic and Republican, for a White House discussion of the plan. He explained the publicly and to the members of the conference that party politics should be adjourned—that this was no time for politics.

Reaction to Conference Is Favorable to President

The general reaction to the conference with congressional leaders appears to have been very favorable to the President. The public thought on inclusion of former Governor Landon of Kansas and Col. Frank Knox of Illinois, Republican nominees for the presidency and vice presidency in 1936, however, was quite different. Mr. Roosevelt advertised the invitation to these gentlemen to the conference as evidence of his desire to adjourn politics. That halloo did not take hold very well. Many observers wondered how the President figured that Messrs. Landon and Knox could have anything to say about national policy which is the exclusive responsibility of congress. They were defeated, discredited as leaders, by the voters in 1936. Thus, critics suggested that Mr. Roosevelt—with politics adjourned—had played an exceedingly smart brand of politics

Division of U. S. Treasury Calls for Bids on Manganese

WASHINGTON—The procurement division of the treasury asked for bids on manganese under authority of an act of the last congress to use \$40,000,000 over a period of four years for purchase of "strategic and critical" raw materials. The request for bids cautioned that manganese in American warehouses could not be supplied to fill this requirement. Bidders will have

and Messrs. Landon and Knox swallowed the bait in the fashion of amateurs. The President has put the whole Republican party on the spot, with the assistance of its members, and there are signs that a Republican effort will be made to offset the move.

Now, there is another thing cropping up. Beneath shouts of patriotism and declarations that we must avoid getting into the raging madness overseas, there is a feeling that congress ought to remain on the job straight through the winter. The determination of the President and his spokesmen in congress is to limit action in the extra session to the subject of repeal of the arms embargo. If that is all the actual work that is accomplished, it would require only a short time. On the other hand, there seems to be a feeling that Mr. Roosevelt should not be left with all of the responsibility of a war threat hanging over head. Since the entire membership has been called back here, the observation has been frequent that they ought to stay on until the regular session begins in January to be of help to the President as lightning-like changes take place in the situation abroad.

One hears a great deal of discussion among senators and representatives about our nation's financial and economic condition. They suddenly have realized the fact that there exists a national debt of more than \$45,000,000,000—almost \$20,000,000,000 more than the total of the debt when the World war ended. It is not a pleasant thought, but it must be faced.

Turn to Rural America to Lead Way to Sane Thinking

And as to the government itself, attention lately has been called to the fact that there are now 927,887 persons on the government payroll. Contrast that with 917,760, which was the greatest number employed by the government at any time during the World war. The military and naval forces are not included in the figures given. These facts were mentioned to me at the Capitol the other day because some members were looking to conditions after another war. It was explained that there was very little contraction of the government's size after the World war and that was more than offset by expansions in the last six years. In other words, a war will place an additional drain upon the government, which is the people, that will become a permanent thing.

Thus we see that minor matters, as well as major questions, are having an effect upon the thinking of the country. While they are not so intended, all of the many governmental changes and plans and conditions turn conversations to the subject of war.

So, we come back to the original statement. From a long period of observation of people, it seems to me that those folks who form the backbone of America are likely to be less influenced by the various things I have mentioned than is the case with the folks in the cities. The part of rural America which will provide the balance of power in a decision to stay out of war, or go in, will be able to think clearly.

Isms and Insane Ideologies Have Their Origin in Cities

To refer again to Lord Balfour's statement, it can be said that he foresaw exactly what has happened in the United States. It is necessary only to recall that all of the isms and insane ideologies through which we have passed since the World war have had their origin in cities. "Movements" for this and that and the other program or plan came from hotbeds in thickly populated areas. It is to be admitted that they gained much more headway than any one thought possible. They are again on the way out, however, because such things have no appeal for the type of citizens to which Lord Balfour referred.

When the situation in Washington is summed up as of this time, therefore, one can properly say whether or it makes any difference what congress does about the arms embargo. The things about which we must worry make up a combination package. They are little things, when taken separately. Together, they constitute national policy. If each of these little things tends to involve the United States just a little bit more each time, then we are going to get into differences with the belligerent nations. While all of this is happening, however, none of us is to escape the thought that it is up to the United States to preserve civilization as we now know it, and our job is cut out for us when the European war is over. It is not peace for the sake of peace, but a policy designed to help save some benefit of all.

Ask Me Another A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What is a sampan?
2. What is the greatest depth of the Pacific ocean?
3. What state always elects two Indians to the lower house of its legislature?
4. What fish is commonly used for filet of sole? For filet mignon?
5. What state has most cities of 100,000 population or more?
6. What federal body has the sole power to try impeachments?
7. Here is the first line of a well-known poem: "Oh, why should the spirit of mortal be proud?" Can you give the second line?
8. What is the abomination of desolation mentioned in the Book of Daniel, in the Bible?
9. What would you call a large group of owls, wolves, bees, monkeys?
10. How deep and where is the world's deepest mine?

The Answers

1. An Oriental boat.
2. The greatest depth of the Pacific ocean is 35,400 feet, just north of Mindanao of the Philippine isles.
3. Maine.
4. Flounder. Filet mignon is a piece of steak.
5. Massachusetts.
6. The senate.
7. "Like a swift-floating meteor, a fast-flying cloud."
8. It is supposed by Bible students to refer to the desecration of the Temple in Jerusalem by the soldiers of Antiochus Epiphanes.
9. Herd, pack, swarm, troop.
10. The world's deepest mine is over a mile deep and is in Brazil. Gold is mined there.

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THE DIM LANTERN

By TEMPLE BAILEY

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THE STORY THUS FAR

Young, pretty Jane Barnes, who lived with her brother, Baldwin, in Sherwood Park, near Washington, was not particularly impressed when she read that rich, attractive Edith Towne had been left at the altar by Delafield Simms, wealthy New Yorker. However, she still mused over it when she met Evans Follette, a young neighbor, whom the war had left completely discouraged and despondent. Evans had always loved Jane. That morning Baldwin Barnes, on his way to work in Washington, offered assistance to a tall, lovely girl in distress. Later he found a bag she had left in the car, containing a diamond ring on which was inscribed "Del to Edith—Forever." He knew then that his passenger had been Edith Towne. Already he was half in love with her. That night he discussed the matter with Jane, and they called her uncle, worldly, sophisticated Frederick Towne. He visited them at their home, delighted with Jane's simplicity. He told them Edith's story. Because her uncle desired it, Edith Towne had accepted Delafield Simms, whom she liked but did not love. She disappeared immediately after the wedding was to have taken place. The next day Jane received a basket of fruit from Towne, and a note asking if he might call again. Mrs. Follette, widowed mother of Evans, was a woman of indomitable courage. Impoverished, she nevertheless managed to keep Eva and herself in comparative comfort by running a dairy farm. Evans, mentally depressed and disillusioned, had little self reliance and looked to his mother and Jane for guidance. Edith Towne phones Baldy in answer to an ad. She asked him to bring her pocketbook. Jane calls on Frederick Towne in his elaborate office. He gives Lucy, his stenographer, a letter to Delafield Simms, in which he severely criticizes him. Unknown to him, Lucy and Simms are in love with each other. Towne takes Jane home in his limousine. She introduces him to Evans, who is jealous of Towne. Baldy goes to meet Edith Towne at her hiding place.

CHAPTER VI—Continued

They laughed together. Baldy was great fun, Edith decided, different. "You are wondering, I fancy, how I happened to come here," she said, leaning back in her chair, her burnished hair against its faded cushions. "Well, an old book of Mother's, Martha Burns, is the wife of the landlord. She will do anything for me. I have had all my meals upstairs. I might be a thousand miles away for all my world knows of me."

"I was worried to death when I thought of you out in the storm."

"And all the while I was sitting with my feet on the fender, reading about myself in the evening papers."

"And what you read was a plenty," said Baldy, slangily. "Some of those reporters deserve to be shot."

"Oh, they had to do it," indifferently, "and what they have said is nothing to what my friends are saying. It's a choice morsel. Every girl who ever wanted Del's millions is crowding over the way he treated me."

The look in his eyes disconcerted her. "Do you really think that?"

"Of course. We're a greedy bunch."

"I don't like to hear you say such things."

"Why not?"

"Because you aren't greedy. You know it. It wasn't his millions you were after."

"What was I after—I wish you'd tell me. I don't know."

"Well, I think you just followed the flock. Other girls got married. So you would marry. You didn't know anything about love—or you wouldn't have done it."

"How do you know I've never been in love?"

"Isn't it true?"

"I suppose it is. I don't know, really."

"You'll know some day. And you mustn't ever think of yourself as mercenary. You're too wonderful for that—too fine."

She realized in that moment that the boy was in earnest. That he was not saying pretty things to her for the sake of saying them. He was saying them all in sincerity. "It is nice of you to believe in me. But you don't know me. I am like the little girl with the curl. I can be very, very good, but sometimes I am horrid."

"You can't make me think it," he handed her a packet of letters. "Your uncle sent these. There's one from Simms on top."

"I think I won't read it. I won't read any of them. It has been heavenly to be away from things. I feel like a disembodied spirit, looking on but having nothing to do with the world I have left."

course if you are going to condone—dishonor—"

He was leaning forward hugging his knees. "I am not condoning anything. But—I know this—that some day if you ever fall in love, you'll forgive."

"I am not likely to fall in love," coldly, "I'm too sensible."

"Oh, I know. You've had strings of lovers—you're too tremendously lovely not to have. But they've all been afraid of you. No caveman stuff—or anything like that. Isn't that the truth?"

"I should hate a caveman."

"Of course, but you wouldn't be indifferent, and you'd end by caring."

"I dislike brutal types—intensely."

He sat with his chin in his hand, his shoulders hunched up like a faun or Pan at his pipes. "All cavemen aren't brutal types. Some day I'm going to paint a picture of a man carrying off a woman. And I'm going to make him a slender young god—and she shall be a rath—"

"I'll say it is," Benny agreed, cheerfully, "and it isn't just my yacht that she's after. She has a real little case on me."

The second woman, older than Eloise, tall and fair-haired in smoke-gray with a sweep of dull blue wing across her hat, said, "Edith, your bad child, your uncle has been frightfully worried."

"Of course, you'd know, Adelaide. And it does him good to be worried. I am an antidote for the rest of you."

Everybody laughed except Baldy. He ran his fingers with a nervous gesture through his hair. He was like a young eagle with a ruffled crest.

Martha came up to arrange for a table. "Bring your coffee over and sit with us," Eloise said; "we want to hear all about it."

Edith shook her head. "I don't belong to your world yet. And I've had a heavenly time without you."

They went on laughing. Silence settled on the two they left behind. And out of that silence Edith asked, "You didn't like the things we said?"

"Hateful!"

"Do you always show what you feel like that?"

"Jane says I do."

"Well, if it had been anybody but Eloise Harper and Adelaide Laramore, Adelaide is Uncle Fred's latest."

She rose. "Let's go upstairs. If I stay here I shall want to throw things at their heads. And I don't care to break Martha's dishes."

They stopped at the other table, however, for a light word or two, then went up to Edith's sitting-room on the second floor. When they were once more by the fire, she said, "And now what do you think of me? Nice temper?"

"I think," he said, promptly, "that they probably deserved it."

She laid her hand for a fleeting moment on his arm. "You are rather a darling to say that. I was really horrid."

When he was ready at last to go, she decided, "Tell Uncle Frederick to send Briggs out for me in the morning. I might as well have it over, now that Eloise is going to spread the news."

"I wish you'd go in with me tonight," but I couldn't—"

"Why not?"

She weighed it—"And surprise Uncle Fred?"

"I think we'd better telephone, so he can kill the fatted calf."

"Yes. He doesn't like things sprung on him. Hurts his dignity; but he's rather an old dear, and I love him—do you ever quarrel with the people you love?"

"Jane and I fight. Great times."

"I have a feeling I shall like Jane."

"You will. She's the best ever. Not a beauty, but growing better-looking every day. Bobbed her hair—and I nearly took her head off. But she's rather a peach."

"I'll have you both down for dinner some day. I think we are going to be friends"—again that light touch on his arm.

He caught her hand in his. "I shall only ask that you let the page twang his lyre." Then with a despairing note, "Miss Towne, I can't tell you how much your friendship would mean."

"Would it? Oh, I am going to have some good times with you and your little sister, Jane. I am so tired of people like Eloise and Adelaide, and Benny and—Del..."

"There is no reason why you should hurry back," Baldy said, "but I'd

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Mrs. Roosevelt Becomes 56; Dubbed 'Public Energy No. 1'



On October 11, Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt marks her fifty-sixth birthday. No longer surprised at her amazing energy, the nation has grown to admire her. Above: She introduces her husband at the New York World's fair grounds.



A favorite with photographers, Mrs. Roosevelt has few inhibitions. At the left she swings mightily to christen the transatlantic Yankee Clipper. At right: She presented diplomas at Arthurdale, W. Va., school, then swing her partner in the dance that followed. More active than any previous President's wife, Mrs. Roosevelt has shattered precedent. U. S. polls have rated her more popular than her husband.



She came to the opening performance of the "Lost Colony" at Manteo, N. C., riding with her party in a CCC truck. At left is the Spanish refugee lad, 12-year-old Lorenzo Murias, for whom she agreed to act as foster parent. He is one of many refugee children living in France, supported partly through private contributions.



An enthusiastic social worker, she takes an active interest in projects to care for all types of unfortunates. Income from much of her writing has gone for this purpose. Above she is shown placing a baby in the new portable incubator she presented to a hospital on behalf of the Washington Variety club.



Nantucket Island
A striking feature of the homes of old Nantucket island, a high spot on many of the 52 Pilgrim Tours of New England offered by the New Haven Railroad, is the "Widow's Walk" which surrounds the chimney, and often the whole roof, of these old houses. Here the wives of the sailors and captains of the whaling ships which put out of Nantucket in the days of her greatness used to walk, high above the breakers, to watch for the sails of their husbands' ships returning.



Cottonmouth Moccasin
The cottonmouth moccasin is a dangerously poisonous snake generally of dark chestnut-brown with some darker barring and with yellowish-white stripes on the head and throat. The common name of this snake refers to the white lining of the mouth, which it is said to display before biting. Cottonmouths may attain a length of four feet. They are not aggressive and most cases of snake bite in which they are involved are due to the reptiles being stepped on.

Star Dust

- ★ Cooper Plays Soldier
- ★ Joan Fontaine Has Way
- ★ Try Musical Picture

By Virginia Vale

WAR pictures of all varieties are on their way to your neighborhood theater or one near it. Some are new, some are old. Those of us who were going to movies during the last war will recognize in some everything but the actors as products of the past. However, with sound, and new people going through the motions, no doubt they'll seem new enough.

"The Road Back" is to be reissued by Universal, with the scenes that were deleted when the picture was made in 1937 because of an official request that they be omitted, in a desire not to annoy Germany.

It looks as if Gary Cooper might as well reconcile himself to wearing a uniform whenever he steps in front of a camera. His current picture, "The Real Glory," presents him as an American lieutenant in the medical corps, way back in 1908. He'll begin work shortly in "Black-out Over Europe," which deals with air raids in the present war.

Andrea Leeds has announced her engagement, and not to an actor. It's to be hoped that marriage won't mean her giving up her career; she has come so fast in so short a time.



ANDREA LEEDS

Rising to fame with a scream in "Stage Door," she's gone right along; in "The Real Glory" she gives an excellent performance.

The March of Time is stepping into the full-length feature field with "The Ramparts We Watch," based on the book by Major George Fielding Eliot. According to the announcement, it "brings to the screen a new production idea in feature pictures with a realistic plot that carries a terrific impact in view of the events in Europe today." Work started about the middle of September in New London, Conn., and the picture will have no connection with the regular March of Time issues.

Many a girl would like to know Joan Fontaine's formula for getting what she wants. She does it every time. She married Brian Ahearne, causing several young actresses in New York and points west to gnaw the woodwork in rage. Now she's slated for the lead in "Rebecca," for which many tests were made and many wires were pulled. Olivia de Havilland's younger sister seems to be doing all right for herself, while Olivia goes right along, looking perfectly beautiful in costume pictures and confining romance to the screen.

Maybe those spectacular musical pictures will return to the screen, if you show that you like them. "On your toes," with Zorina, will act as a thermometer; if audience approval shows that the temperature is right, there'll be more like it.

Grace Moore may do one called "Say It With Music," incorporating incidents from her own life and a lot of Irving Berlin's music. Incidentally, Miss Moore once again proved herself the darling of the ship news reporters, when she returned from Europe recently; she always makes a statement that makes the headlines, whether she's sailing away or sailing home. This time she was going to rush back to France and join an ambulance corps—after she finished engagements to sing in concert and opera, etc.

Johnny Green, who used to wave the baton for Columbia pictures, and does now for the Johnny Presents programs on the air, has proved that he is a serious composer. He has finished a concerto, "Music for Elizabeth," which Jose Turbi (that veteran of the Bing Crosby hour) will introduce at Carnegie Hall this season. "Elizabeth" happens to be Mrs. Johnny Green as well as Betty Furness of the films.

ODDS AND ENDS—Kaye Kayser refused recently to play "Over There," feels that all marches and military music should be barred in this country at present. . . . Raymond Paige is collecting voice recordings of dignitaries and statesmen involved in the current crisis. . . . Gracie Allen's been indulging in a shopping spree, buying frocks to wear before the microphone. . . . But Beatrice Kay, of "Columbia's Gay Nineties Revue," just digs into her great-aunt's trunks; she came up with a pair of red cotton stockings with lace inserts the other afternoon. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

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Mrs. Mary Kenton of Dover spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. John Donovan, and grandmother, Mrs. Philip Donovan.

Mrs. Frank R. Hayes of Dover was a recent guest of Mrs. Oliver G. Melvin.

State Senator and Mrs. J. Burton Hendricks entertained recently Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Adams of Bellfonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Melvin entertained their son, A. M. Melvin, Jr., over the week-end. The latter is from Middletown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Mitten entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. Conner Mitten, their son and daughter-in-law on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gray had as recent guests Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hazzard and Mrs. Brasure, the latter of Madison, N. J. The Hazzards reside in Wilmington.

Mrs. Daisy Lilly's week-end guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tieger of Philadelphia.

Miss Bessie Emerson is at Mrs. Turk's Private Hospital, Wilmington. She is recuperating from a heart ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Dodd and children, Sylvia and Watson, of Caldwell, N. J., motored here Saturday. Sunday they were with Mrs. Dodd's mother, Mrs. I. W. Betts, Sr., who is visiting at Rehoboth. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Dodd when enroute to Caldwell Sunday evening.

State Detective F. Leslie F. Rentz and T. Burris Spurry attended a recent ball game in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Leroy Coverdale is ill with lagrippe and is staying with her mother, Mrs. Carpenter, near Milford.

Mrs. C. F. Johnson, Mrs. Myra McIlvaine and daughter, Ann, of Magnolia were Thursday guests of Mrs. T. B. Spurry.

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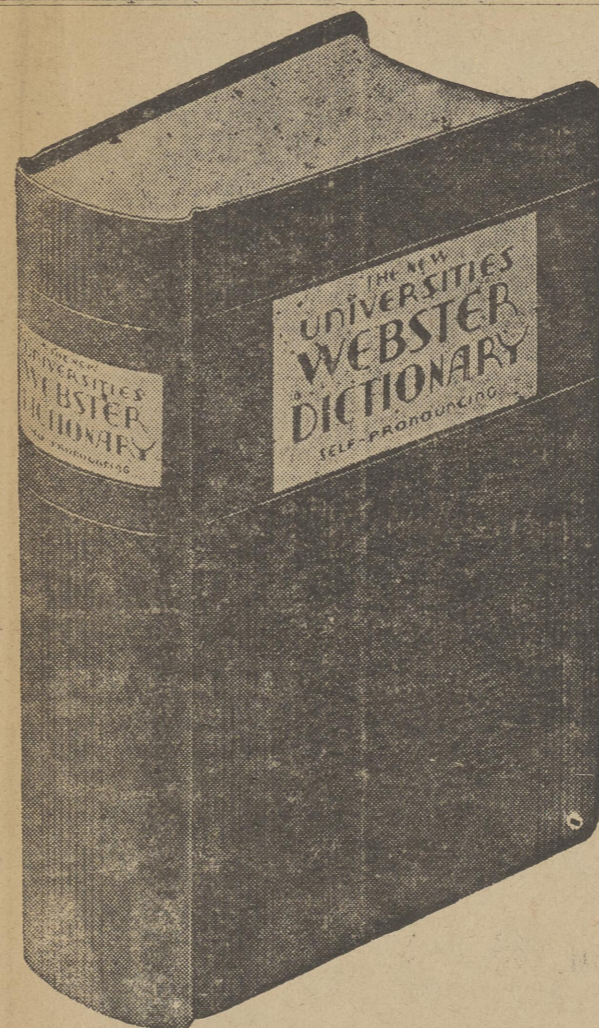
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